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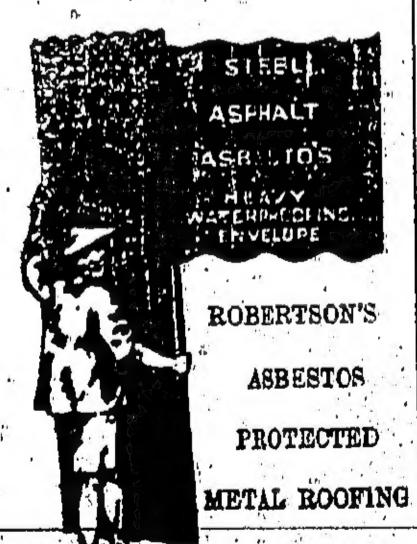
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# KONGMOON FALLS?

REPORTED CAPTURE BY ANTI-REDS.

CARRISON REFUSES FIGHT.

That Kongmoon fell into anti-Reds' hands yesterday, is the gist Hongkong last night.

verging on Kongmoon-after a sector. capture was expected as the Red mately lay with the anti-Reds. garrison from Canton, under To the fact that General Hung spatch to the Hongking Governoffering battle.

Chan Cheung-po (one of General If the contents of the telegram lie who wished to visit the western Chan. Kwing-ming's subordin- are correct then it is possible that ates) and Chui Hon-sun have the Red right wing still holds a been demonstrating against the part of Hoifung district but their Red hold on the Sanwui district. Hank may be exposed.

Acting in conjunction with the troops near the West River (formerly under Leung Hung-kai) the 29th to 31st October anti-Reds moved up by land and are stated to have won the day.

The message also indicates that two anti-Red gunboats-believed to be of the class that brought off the Macao coup - rnanaged to get into the channel controlling the entrance to Kongmoon but that two larger Naval vessels failed to make the turn. The despatchbearer adds that about ten armed launches—possibly those captured in the coup at 'Macao by the GENEROUS OFFER ! "Ching Hoi"-were expected at

If as is stated, Heungshan is still in anti-Red hands and Kongmoon has fallen, the position of that party in the fertile river delta to the south of Canton should be strengthened as the his evidence against the accused. party will have control of importpoints for further action.

# MARITAL TROUBLE.

HUSBAND'S AND WIFE'S DISPUTE.

FRENCHMAN SUMMONED

Before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry at the Central Magistracy this morning, Louis Maurin, residing at the Astor House Hotel, summoned to answer a charge of deserting his wife and not providing maintenance.

On the case being called, His Worship remarked that this was one of those cases which had much better be settled out of Court.

Mr. W. B. Hind, who represent- Hongkong Restaurant, ed Madame Leona Maurin, agreed the defendant should engage a

by Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton, who fused and the defendant left in an heard in Chambers if it was not ant when a chit was received from the northern China Sea. ship, however, adjourned the case gambling. matter could be settled outside Lan and Yuen Suk, corroborated winds, moderate to fresh Court, after which he would give the evidence of the first witness.

# HEAVY CHARGES.

SOME "FATSHAN" PASSENGERS LAND.

taken to Canton by the s.s. the restaurant, one of them assert- H. T. Buckstone. Futshan' were brought back ing that he recognised him as a Victoria Stall: Tea Set, Mrs. again vesterday many more having special constable during the Sales, c/o Shewan, Tomes & Co. been able to effect a landing than was been able to effect a landing than was Defendant denied that he visit- Crawford); Doll's House, Mrs. ed the restaurant on the night in Rayen. The returning pessengers state question, or that he asked the Police Stall:-Men's Raffles that they would have been able to first witness for any money. He s prizes—1st. W. Taylor, 2nd for their kind assistance. land also if they could have pro said that on the night of October Mr. Baker, 8rd. Mrs. Burn, 4th. Mrs. R.M. Dyer for making all Dancing duced the necessary money, but as 4, he was explaining pictures at E. Bond, 5th. Mr. Marks, the necessary tea arrangements The Imperial Concert Party for the amount demanded for the pri the World Theatre and later at Women and Children 8 prizes vilege of landing was equal to the Taiping Theatre. He admitted \_\_\_ist. Mrs. Globe, 2nd. Miss latter for the excellent way in ment. fare which would be charged on the having sent a chit the following Baker. 8rd. Mrs. Duton, which they carried out those The Officers of the Armed Canton runiway from Sham Chan, might warning the people against Air Costs 5th Mrs. Hay, 6th. and there would also be strikers gambling. adjusted in addition, they were not ... The case was adjourned until Mrs. Woolley Collegist Chan able to land As no passenger by to-morrow to enable the defent. Tolying 20d sent Hendwalde and Irom the Cate Wiseman, Nava Lucky Well. Mrs. Morrissey. recent legislation is allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup williams will men will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup will will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce witnesses to sup with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce with the sup will be allowed to dant to produce with the sup will be allowed to the sup with the sup will be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup with the sup will be allowed to be allowed to be allowed to sup will be allowed to be allowed take more than 80 from the Colour port his strement.

and the strikers demand in some

### ANTI-RED WIN.

VICTORY NEAR SWATOW

SUCCESS.

ties, the despatch-man gave it as The centre has continually fallen his opinion" that confirmation back and never won in the present would be needed before he could campaign. To-day it is stated feel any assurance upon the mat- that after a barrage lasting only ter. As he read the message, he a short while, the infantry attacktook it that what was meant was ed, storming the keys to Kum Hauthat the anti-Red allies were con- | and Wa Yeung in the Tsze Kum

feint at Saam Lo in the Shiuhing | Both sides counter-attacked but, prefecture—and that the town's as the message goes, victory ulti-

Commander Chan Ming-shu, was Shiu-lun (assistant director-in- ment in which he stated that the P.W.D., for giving advice and help likely to vacate the port without chief of operations) has returned to Swatow and proceeded direct to be opened on that day for the It is known that Commander the front, the victory is ascribed.

# ALLEGED PERJURY.

GAMBLING RAID SEQUEL.

SPECIAL CONSTABLE CHARGED.

Arising from a gambling case which 18 Chinese were recently charged before Mr. R. A. D. Forcest at the Central Magisstance a raid was carried out and Monday. the defendants arrested at the Kam Ling Restaurant, on Confucius Day, was charged this morning under the Magistrates' Ordinance with perjury alleged to have been committed by him in After hearing certain portions

ant territory and jumping-off of the evidence in the gambling charge, the Magistrate discharged the defendants, holding that there was no case against them, and ordered that the principal witness (the defendant in the present case) be placed in custody for giving false evidence against the defendants. Mr. M. K. Lo; who appeared for the defence on that occasion, referred to the action of the principal witness as one of malicious prosecution, resulting from an unsuccessful attempt to borrow money from one of the

defendants. Three of those who were originally charged with gambling gave evidence against, the defendant this morning. The first witness Mak Woon, said that he was with a party of friends at the Point, on October 4, when with this view, and suggested that defendant entered the room An appearance was then put in for a loan of \$10. This was re- reported this morning.

his decision as regards the point They were present when defendant came in and had a conversation with the first witness, and also the following night, when the chit was received. They did not hear the conversation, but the parting was not cordial, and the first witness told them, later that Middleton, Doll, Colonel the defendant came to borrow kintosh.

# GATE OPENS.

SIR JAMES JAMTESON'S DESPATCH,

SHAMKEN DEFUNCES

Reports that Sir James Jamieson was considering opaning the inner smaller gate of tile. Western (British) end of Shameen have already been referred to in the "China Mail" and at the same time opinion was reviewed on the "deand of the removal, of other in view of the opening of the Twiff thank:-Conference.

of information that on Monday Sir Tames Jamieson remitted a deconvenience of members of the pub-

mults in the defence of Shameon.

# CAPTAIN FINED.

HARBOUR REGULATIONS INFRINGED.

"Confucius" was fined \$25 by Lt.-Com, G. F. Hole, R.N. (Marine tracy, a police reservist named Magistrate) this morning for anchor-

The coxswain of the s.1. Bates, D.S.O. for kindly allowing As there was no documentary "Osaka Maru" was fined \$10-for the Band of the East Surreys to evidence to prove that defendant not observing the rule of the play at the Bazaar.

unk licensee "was fined \$10 Governor; for all his kind help and missed the claim. for depositing rullish in quanuntine unchorage: ...

# MOTOR SMASH.

but fortunately without injury to any persons, occurred between a tram car and a motor car near the Western Market yesterday after-

motor car, which was driven by Sanitary Inspector Bradley, was proceeding along the narrow but largely used thoroughfare known as Morrison Street.

this being estimated at \$200.

# THE WEATHER.

after 11 p.m. and, drawing Philippines (in about Lat. 15 N., advertising at reduced rates, or leading tobacconists. solicitor so as to simplify the case. him away from the others, asked Long. 130 E., moving W.N.W.) is free of charge, the attractions of

The weather report states: said that he was for the defen- angry mood. The following night Moderate to fresh monsoon will of the public the work and aims dant, and asked for the case to be witness was again in the restaur- prevail along the coast and over of the Guild and League.

east is (Hongkong) N.E. winds, until November 4 to see if the The other two witnesses, James fresh; fine (Formosa Channel) N.

# M. C. L. FETE.

Military Stall :- Picture, Mrs.

they were quite sure that the de- Jackson: Painting of Junks; Mrs. About a half of the passengers fendant was the man who visited Carothers; Still Life Painting,

## M.C.L. FETE.

EMINENTLY SATISFACTORY TAKINGS.

THANKS TO HELPERS.

sirability or otherwise of this step and thanks to all those, old and with reference to one of them. young, who have assisted in any "He came to Hongkong with only Shameen defences as a "gestiare" way. In particular they wish to a coat to his name" was how he

H.E. the Governor for lending Puisne Judge the state of destitu-The "China Mail" is in receipt the grounds of Government House. Mrs. C. Russell Brown for kindly opening the Fete.

costern of the British gate was and Mr. Gray, P.W.D., for supervising the erection of stalls.

stalls at a nominal figure. The desputely does not refer to for lending flags and the Harbour above. This man was responsible. nemoval of any barricades or to the Master for his men for decorating for the firm sued, he said, and multing of any immediately inside the stalls. The Captain Super- operated from witness's office only the gate, now that it has been open-intendent of Police and the Police because witness had allowed him but from other sources it is under Sub-Inspector C. Alexander to do so as a friend when he came learned that no alteration has been for controlling the police arrange- from Canton with no money. ments in the grounds during the A letter produced signed by de-

Affairs with his staff for trans- deputy for lu Kit. He was not a lating and printing Chinese partner in K. Woo and Woo, he advertisements.

Macready, for all their help at the assistance when he arrived in Leung Yuen-sun, at whose in- in the Taikokisai cable reserve, on who assisted with the gate money, permission to hang his sign from

stall-holders. ment House, for his excellent management of all the Bazaar

able assistance rendered through-The Rev. G. T. Waldegrave and

the Boy Scouts for help in the rrounds.

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of cigarettes: is designed to keep cigarettes in Mr. Carpenter, P.W.D., for the best condition. It is neat and allowing the typing, etc. to be done natty, and with a supply of 50

A typhoon on the far side of the courtesy and their kindness in ed at the Tabaqueria Filipina and the Bazaar and for much valuable assistance in bringing to the notice

> The Peak Tramways Co. Ltd. Drawn Thread Work Co., The Helena May Institute, for display-

ing two beautiful and attractive Office) and Mr. Thomas Lay (Post posters for the M.C.L.

Messrs. Noronha & Co. for their ]. The Italian Convent for sending great generosity in printing large gifts for sale including a beautiful numbers of posters, tickets, Dolls' House notices, etc. gratis and to Messra, Pioneer Elphich (East Surrey's) Der A. Wing for programmes and for being in charge of tickets for

with the Cafe Wiseman and the their most excellent entertainarrangements under the direction | Launches for running the Navai of Mr. D. M. Goodall Turther for Chute the very generous donation of \$25 ft Ch. P. C. Little for running the

The Navy Military and Lt. Col. for all her valuable help through. L. G. Birth for kindly providing out

# "ONLY A COAT"!

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and others who reach Hongkong from Canton have been the subject of comment for some conattempted to describe to the

tion of the man in question. The witness was a Summary Wing Tai Chan firm in respect of timber dealings, the amount the firm of K. Woo and Woo, Messrs. Sang Lee for erecting building contractors. This he The Director of Public Works man, Iu Kit, in the term quoted

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RESULTS OF RAFFLES.

money. Both the witnesses said Neval Stall: Two Sketches, G.

Although it is too early to make any definite statement as to the financial result of the Bazaar, it is known that the takings are considered eminently satisfactory. siderable period now, but it is Mrs. Creasy, the Acting President, doubtful if Mr. Justice Wood was and the Committee desire to ex- meant to take literally the compress their most sincere gratitude | ment of a witness in court to-day

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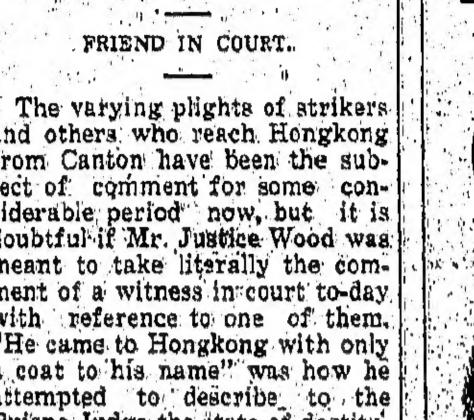
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Z YAMAMOTO. Manager. HONGKONG BRANCH: 3, Des Youx Road Central. Hongkong, 5th June, 1924.

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AND FINANCE. COMMERCE Mr. Tayler some years ago and JIMAH RUBBER, LTD.

Ten Per Cent. Dividend Paid.

The fifteenth annual general force has been fairly good labour meeting of Jimah Rubber Estates, has not been too plentiful due Limited, was held on October 10, probably in great measure to the there being present Messrs, A. E. increased demand consequent on Baddeley (chairman). J., Robert- the rise in the price of rubber. son, G. R. K. Mugliston (direc- Every effort is being made to tors), G. A. Watt, Lee Ban Soon, maintain a sufficiency of coolies and H. C. Reilly, representing the on the estate and certainly all the secretaries (Messrs. Gattey and | conditions are now favourable in

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usual they be taken as read. Dealing first with the accounts. the balance sheet is clearly set out and calls for little comment. Development' expenditure is all direct expenditure on the immature area, no portion of general charges being included. buildings or machinery were audied during the year. The 24,05% lbs, rubber valued at cost have been so treated as they were not exportable at June 30. They have since realised \$21,496.30 and the" excess of this amount over the valuation goes to the credit of the current year's working. On the liabilities side unclaimed dividends show an increase during the year of \$961.25 and now appear at the substantial figure of \$11,135. Your directors have given " this matter careful consideration and have obtained legal opinion to the effect that dividends unclaimed for a period years become statute barred. It is recommended therefore to the incoming Board to act on that opinion and to transfer to reserve all dividends which have | Beef Sirloi remained unclaimed for a period

of more than six years. The directors propose to distribute nearly the whole of the profit earned in the year as they consider that the position of the Company warrants this. After deduction of the proposed dividend and the directors' fees the Bullock's I carry forward will be slightly increased over what was brought in from the previous year.

As regards the profit and loss laccount examination will show that although the output was down nearly 40,000 lbs. proceeds of rubber sales were down only \$4,450. Cost of tapping, manufacturing and packing fell by \$5,500 and other items on the debit side were down similarly with the result that taking into account increased income from investments the net profit was better by \$8,207.77. Expressed in another way, whilst owing to a reduced optput the cost rose cents a lb., this was offset by an increase in the selling price of 9 cents a lb. In regard to the increase of 2 cents a lb. in cost can advise that during the year \$3,815 was spent on timber clearing-a non-recurring item of expenditure—and is included in the figure of \$35.945.

The directors are of opinion that in all the circumstances the cost per lb. as shown is satisfactory, but it is confidently anticipated that there will be a material reduction in the current year. Assuming an output 252,000 lbs. which is, of course, subject to labour being available, the manager estimates the estate cost at 24 cents-which includes provision for sanitation work costing \$3,000-as compared with an estate cost for the past year of 31.66 cents. Both the figures for the current year are: of course, estimates only, subject to conditions not within our control. The figure of average selling price, viz., 57.64 cents, is perhaps somewhat misleading. Actually it is the figure arrived at by dividing the total crop of 163.873 ibs. into the amount taken credit for as proceeds of rubber sales, viz. But this includes \$94,468,62. 24,057 lbs. taken in not at the price realised but at the cost of production. If we consider only the portion of the year's crop exportable, viz., 139,816 lbs., it realised an average price of 62:12 cents, per lb. If on the other Gudgeon-Pak Kap Yu ..... hand we include the 24,057 lbs. at the price it actually sold for then the total crop of 163.878 lbs. realised an average price of 66 cents per lb.

For delivery during the current financial year the following forward sales have been made. July-December, 1925; 3 fons monthly Oysters Shang Ho...... 721/2 cents. January-December, Perch-Tau Lo..... 1926—21/2 tons monthly at 66 Pike Fa Pan Fong ...... 推 胜 芒 gents and 21/2 tons monthly at 75 Plaine Pan Yu cents. I do not propose to discuss Pomfret, Black-Hak Chong the policy of forward selling as Pomiret, White Pak Chong the subject has been so fully ven- Prawns Ming Ha tilated in various quarters—and Ray—Pai Pa Sha by abler advocates than I am. As Rock Phip Sher Las Land regards the condition of the estate | Rosch Chan Yu. The Equitable Trust Company of New it continues to improve steadily, Salmon-Ma Yau pests and diseases, timber clear. Shark Sha Yu. Interest allowed on Current Accounts ing and burning, pruning and Skate of Id. draining having received atten. Shrimps-Ha Every description of Banking Busttion during the year. The postness transacted
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shareholder desires I shall be pleased to furnish it to the best of

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The report and accounts were has been stendily worked to ever adopted, and a ten per cent. dividend "declared. Mr. Mugliston was re-elected a director and Messrs. Evatt and Co. were re-Whilst the health of the labour appointed auditors.

RUSSIAN GRAIN CROP.

(Reuter's Service.) -

Moscow, October 28.

It is officially stated that owing marked contrast to what they to unfavourable weather the grain The Chairman said:-The re- were only a few years back. Our harvest amounts to 65,000,000 port and accounts have been in manager, Mr. Fleming, is away on tons as compared with the your hands for the prescribed a well-earned holiday and during 70.000,000 expected. Owing to period, and I propose that as his absence the estate is in the the scarcity and dearness of induscharge of Mr. A. C. Mulloy, who trial products the peasants are was well recommended to us, and holding back grain supplies hopwhose work is favourably com- ing to obtain a better price. Foreign trade during the past

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### WAGNER-HEROES.

TRIUMPH OF SILVER SCREEN.

WONDERS OF "NIEBELUNGS."

The "Seventh Art"-that of the by a man who has lived among the motion-picture—has reached its gauchos. the opera, will stir the imagina- to the River Plate. tion of our artists and instill the spirit of emulation and generous rivalry that produces masterpieces." Writing in "L'Illustration" (Paris), he tells us:-

photographs to, indicate that, deshard times, our neighcan accomplish feats whose scope, method and audacity serve not only as an eye-opener, but as an example. To bring this gigantic work to completion. enormous technical and financial resources have been employed in a coalition of all the forces of the German motion-picture industry. A huge trust, the Ufa Company, whose president is a director of the Berlin Deutsche Bank, proves that the German financiers appreciate the immense importance of motion-pictures as propaganda.

The Niebelungen film is not a direct screen version of Wagner's operas, it seems. The scenario writers, Frau Thea von Harbou. wife of the film director, Fritz. Lang, is conspicuous in German literary circles. She has handed . the legends of the "Ring" in a cads only meat (4-5 lbs. of it somewhat original way, giving us daily) and regards vegetables as not, four days but only two: weeds: None of his forebears

his son Slegfried to the dwarf the old school to do this would be Mime, who; in a mysterious an insult. But bring him a young forest, has set up a forge where he horse full of fire and pride that makes enchanted weapons. Soon has never known the restraining the publil becomes as skilful as his hand of man, and he will rope it master. Armed with a magic and tie a knot in its tail (to keep sword, he leaves the dwarf's the tail out of the mud, senor! abode and goes to the court of the and sit upon that horsels back Burgundians to win the beautiful through a series of evolutions Kriemhild. King Gunther's sister. suggesting a ship in a typhoon.

blood has a miraculous power to silver-mounted whip his saddlery, make him invulnerable, Slegfried and-most precious of all his bathes in it, but finds that a leaf earthly goods-his horse. from a linden tree stuck to his shoulder and that the spot it covered is still exposed to the dangers of a mortal blow.

"Gunther grants Siegfried his sister's hand, but on strange conditions. Gunther, it seems, desires to win the warrior maid Brunhild, but knows that he is unable to, so he asks his new friend to overcome the invincible lady and bring her to Worms. Siegfried accepts the terms. conquers Brunhild and takes her it. Can any one see it?" to the court of the Burgundians. Brunhild, not having detected tota whose hands went up. the imposture, marries Gunther, whom she believes to be her conquerar, and Siegfried receives the hand of Kriemhild.

"But the perfidious Hagen reyeals the truth to Brunhild, who, filled with anger and shame, demands the death of Siegfried. Hagen treacherously confronts Sleufried and, seeing the vulnerable spot on his shoulder, and the same time, to make of the Kriemhild swears avenge her husband's death."

revenge:--

to punish the treacherous Hagen, tic dignity," Siegfried's widow decides to This form of motion-picture marry Etzel, King of the Huns, "resolutely disregards the dogmas digestive organs in their work by who, with his savage horsomen, hitherto imposed by alleged com- supplying them with the strength they I in London from the result of the has come from the deserts of mercial shrewdness," we are in constantly need. If the blood is im-Asia. She lures Gunther and formed. It is "artistic through poverished and weak these organs fail an automatic tide-recording machine Hagen into her new abode. After out." The director has rebelled complaint they make is to cease to call many roundabout measures, in the against "the orgies of light that for good. Poor appetite never comes course of which Kriemhild's hate prevail in American films." conflicts with the laws of Here, the contrasts of black and indication, headsches, bad taste in the hospitality which her husband is white the technique of the stab hospitality which her husband is white, the technique of the etch- tongist lassitude and lack of compelled to respect, the Huns ing and the wood engraving and and the Burgundians end by whole gamut of light and shade" slaughtering one another are utilized with rare wirtuousity. Gunther and Hagen perish in And so their turn, and Kriemhild herself "It is impossible not to be im- at onde to the debilitated and exhausted is murdered in her burning posed by the example thus set us digestive organs and the benefit they palace. King Etzel dies with or to disregard the lesson

noted in these heroic adventures their collegues in Germany do. Klangse Road Shanghai Binelly soo and Addressing the popular mind and achieve a masterpiece of the and that of the cultivated at one came character ?

### A VIRILE RACE.

DUELS TO THE DEATH FOR SPORT

A race of real "toughs" described in a "Daily Mail" article

highest perfection in the German The gaucho is a picturesque the Government's forecasts of the film, being shown at the Queen's fellow. Though often illiterate, cotton crop are inaccurate, costing Theatre for the last time to-night. he has the polished manner of an the planters in the South millions Entitled "The Niebelungen," it ambassador, and is seldom rude of dollars, and requests that the dramatises old Teutonic legends | even when trying to pick a quar- Government's whole crop report. made famous the world over by rel with a comrade. Rudeness is ling system be esubjected to Wagner's operas. Nevertheless, considered boorish, a tradition searching enquiry by Congresthe critic Emile Vilillermoz re- handed down by the courtiers of sional committees. He proposes marks, "We trust that 'The Spain when led by Don Pedro de to introduce a Bill to prevent Niebelungen, on the screen, as at Mendoza, they came adventuring gambling in cotton and grain in

> qualities of a duel. The adver- the growers over £50,000,000 and suries, having drawn their sharp jays that if the Government, was the sign of the cross upon the jors it could not have co-operated ground, exchanging glances. Then, wrapping their ponchos element of the Cotton Exchange. (capes) round their left arm and | Senator Borah says that hide whips) in their left hand: iny effort to remove the Governwhip, watching hawk-like, for an estimates are based on official inwhen delivered is generally at the I draw anything. stomach with an upward rip...

Cases have been known where the duelling was carried out without motive except for sport, and incredible as it may sound, the man who got in first blow would try not to pierce his adversary's stomach too deeply, so that the man's friends could bind up the gaping wound and carry him away with a chance of life.

### Riding Power.

The old-time hand to this day 'Siegfried" and "Kriemhild's ever attempted to milk a cow, and Vengeance." The story runs he has himself a low opinion of milk. As for riding a mare! To

"King Siegmund has entrusted ask a domador (horse trainer) o

Presently he meets a terrible And when the horse is tired he monster, the dragon Lindwurm, will leisurely dismount, waddle which no one has ever been able across to the ombu tree in his to conquer. Slegfried attacks it, enormous spurs and stake his and, after a dreadful struggle, day's earnings in one throw of the plunges his sword into its body. taba (hock bone of steer used as a Knowing that the dragon's sort of giant dica), and then his

> The school inspector had reached the lowest class in a South African race. school. He had tested the children's knowledge of the alphabet by letting them, one by one, name the letters which he pointed out on a subject. chart. Then he reversed the pro-

Thanks to a magic helmet he chart," he said, frowning at the very recretly visiting the United makes himself look like Gunther, chart. "They must have forgotten Statics where he intends to settle

where the letter R is. On tip-toe, by means of a pointer, she could just reach its line on the

There it is," she ulmost lisped, you, stoopid old man.

transfixes it with his javelin. Niebelungen a romance of love Brunhild, who has been secretly and death with a direct psychoin love with Siegfried, stabs her-logical interest. The film has no self and falls dead upon his resemblance to the papier-maché to revivifications of Gothic antiquity so overdone in American studios. The second reel tells of her Instead, it gives us a beautiful legend treated with simplicity and "Unable to induce her brother sincerity, in a spirit of real artis-

teaches. Other nations besides As Mr. Vullermoz explains :- Germany have their national becomes normal, headaches are absent "The new interpreters of the legends-beautiful themes, at you rise in the morning bright and well, legends have been careful to once heroic and touching, which and retire at night to sound refreshing maintain their independence of aftr the feelings of an audience. Dr. Williams Pink Pills have over Wagnerian traditions so as not to Instead of squandering enormous third of a century's world-wide require compete with Beyreuth or merely sums on romantic or sensational tion behind them as their guarantees give us one more film of the spectacles, or on puerile dramas you are not at they will help you. familiar type. With a certain and melodramas, cannot our druggist, or direct and post free ton legitimacy; the author has sought motion-picture magnates combine boose for \$1.50. 6 bottles for \$8, the to emphasize the eternal human, their resources, eccasionally, as the Dr. Williams Medicine

# COTTON FORECASTS.

SENATOR ALLEGES-INACCURACY.

(Reuter's American Service.)

New York, October, 28v Senator Caraway alleges tha

the meantime. The gaucho knife fight some. He asserts that Monday's times takes on the ceremonial illegedly inaccurate forecast cost and wicked-looking knives, trace actually allied with the speculamore effectively with the bear

holding their rebenques (raw | igrees with Senator Caraway in and knives in the right, circle nent from the gambling business. round one another, guarding with In the other hand the Departtheir muffled left arm and riding ment of Agriculture declares its opportunity to strike. The blow formation and declines to with-

# COPPER NOSE.

FOUR PREHISTORIC WARRIORS.

Swathed in strands of pearls, some of extraordinary size and perfection, the remains of four bodies have been discovered in a mound near Bainbridge, Ohio, during excavations by scientists.

The bodies, two of which were do not use it your money is recrowned with copper helmets, funded, carved with intricate designs. were surrounded by ornaments of copper, silver, and tortoise-shell.

Also found in the mound were usks of the grizzly bear, the biggest ever unearthed in a North American mound, and several large pipes, one exquisitely carved with an image of a standing wolf and another with an image of a was not going to be married, has

Professor H. C. Shetrone, who register office in Doctors' Commone, was present when the discoveries E.C., for the return of his money. four bodies were found together and will tribes to place their dead in a stamp. temporary charnel house and then dead and place all the bodies all once in a mound with great

The nose of one skeleton was made of copper,

an early type of American Indian, stump duty. or a distinct and separate earlier If he obtains a declaration from

Berlin. October 28.—It is now I don't see the letter R on this disclosed that Edmand Stinnes is his wife and friends who must "Well," he said, "you show me take charge of the Aga motor car groom. company .- Reuter. ...



WHAT WILL MAKE ME EAT?

Loss of appetite is nature's first warning that something in the complicated machinery of the system has gone wrong. And that something is inverito receive this assistance and the first in the Water Police Basin at Talm She

# FORGOT HIS RICHES. WINDFALL FOR THE CHYLON

GOVERNMENT.

How a rich man apparently forgot that he had deposited a large sum with a bank in Calcutta so that in time the amount grew into an enormous fortune, has just been disclosed.

The revenue of Ceylon is expected to benefit to the tune of over \$135,000 as the result of the duty payable on the estate of the late Mr. Elias Meyer, of Calcutta, who has left a sum exceeding 101 lakhs of rupees on fixed deposit in a Colombo bank.

Mr. Meyer, who died in London last April. was a prominent -merchant of London and Calcutta, and is said never to have set foot on Caylon soil. He is closely related by marriage to the Sassoon family, of Bombay, Bagdad, and London, and it seems that several years ago he placed 44 lakhs of rupees in fixed deposit at 5 per cent, in the Colombo Bank, and latter added a further adeposit. oringing the total sum of

The interest was not touched, with the result that the original deposits were more than doubled. It is understood that this huge sum in ready cash in Ceylon represents only a very small portion of the late Mr. Meyer's estate.

### COST OF LICENCE.

WOMAN WHO CHANGED. HER MIND.

If you buy a railway ticket and

If you buy a marriage licence and the bride will not marry you, you \=

lose your money.

A bridegroom, who while on his way to a Fulham church to be married, received a telegram from his bride curtly intimating that her affections had changed and that she made application to an ecclesiustical

were made, said the fact that the The licence was obtained, arrangements had in the same mound does not in- been made. For the Faculty Office dicate that they died together, it licence the bridegroom paid 22, 10s. being the custom of the ancient of this sum being for the official

When the bridegroom's request once a year to hold a feast of the for the return of his money was received the officials were astounded. No money can be returned by Timenton the ecclesiastical offices after licance has been dissued, as the Scientists have never been able matter is entered in the official to agree how long ago the mound calendar. All the bridegroom can builders lived, whether they were claim from the State is the 10s.

the vicar of the church that his They hope these new dis-licence has not been used, and takes coveries in America's "Valley of it with his licence to Somerset the Kings" will throw light on the Houses, where he makes another declaration, the authorities may refund the 10s.

The wedding group was brought and to start life afresh. He left his fout for inspection, and the like-He chose the timest of all the business in Berlin in the hands of nesses were pronounced executent. All but one—that of the bride-

> "Whatever made him look like that? He looks as if he'd got apoplexy," inquired the visitor. The proud mother replied bright-"There! I wondered whether you'd notice our George, pour boy But it was the photographer's fault. George was just taking a deep breath when the photographer calls out. 'Keep just as you are,!' And the poor boy had to hold his breath for nearly three minutes before he'd got em right and taken the group. Fit to burst he were

The tide-table given below has been i compiled at the National Almanac Office Taui during the years 1908-9.

miralty Chart, which has been found to on 4 feet 8 inches below mean sou devel To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 8 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet inches to the height given in the table

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2.—C.P.S. Hmpress of Russia. 2.—L. T. Persia 4.—P. & O. Mores	Nov. 19.—N.Y.K. Takoka Maru (Via Sura.) Oct. 21.—P. L. Gothic Prince Nov. 1.—B. L. Forresbank	his vehicle over the body of a young Portuguese lady. Miss A. Jorge, was related to Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magis-
7.—J.C.J.L. Tjitalak 7.—T.K.K. Shinyo Maru 7.—N.Y.K. Kamo Maru 9.—N.Y.K. Kaga Maru	19.—B. F. Pyrrhus  28.—B. F. City of Evansville  Doc. 7.—B. F. Keemun	imposed a fine of \$10 or 15 days.  Miss Jorge was in a bus moving
2.—J.C.J.L. Tjikini 7.—C.P.S. Empress of Alia. 8.—P. & O. Sondan. 0.—B. B. Legazpi	19.—B. B. Logazpi 19.—B. F. Ulty of Durban BUENOS AIR 49 VIA OAPETOWN	along Nathan Road towards the ferry. Outside the Kowloon Dispensary, the bus stopped. Miss
O.—L. T. Viminale S.—N.Y.K. Iyo Maru T.H.K. Taiyo Maru	Nov. S.—N.Y.K. Awa Maru 18.—D.S.K. Panama Maru BARCELONA & VALENCIA Dec. 19.—B. B. Legazpi	down by defendant's ricsha which came up from behind, going in the same direction as the bus.
ANTUNG.  1.—O.S.K. Kaijo Marc ANTUNG.  Kansu	Dec. 1.—L. T. Finme-L. St.—L. T. Viminals	The ricsha, stated Miss Jorge in evidence, passed over her body but she was only slightly injured.
NEWCHWANG.  Kansu  L.—C. N. Ningbal	BOV. 1.—B. F. Ajus 3.—J.C.J.L. Oostkerk 10.—H.A.L. Oldenburg	Mr. P. T. Farrell, President of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, who was the occupant of the
TSINGTAU.  31.—C. N. Shantung  7.—C. N. Soochow  HANKOW	12.—B.F. Diomed 14.—N. E. Trier 30.—J. G.J. L. Orderverk. Dec. 1.—B. F. Menslaus	Farrell said that the coolie was going faster than is ordinarily the
7.—C. N. Hops:nz.  TIENTSIN.	12.—N. L. Sarland 12.—N. L. Sarland 10.—B. F. Titan 21.—J.O.J.L. Westerdyk	as the bus pulled up, the coolie swerved to the left as his speed was such that he could not stop in
7.—C. N. Kucichow.  7.—C. N. Kucichow.  7.—C. N. Kucichow.	Dot 3 -R.F. Moneling	time. In swerving, the ricsha knocked down Miss Jorge who had alighted from the bus, and
HOIHOM.  30.—0.8.K. Taikwe Maru  1.—0. N. Kingyuan  1.—0. N. Taming	MARGETIALES. (VIA SINGAPORE)	war in North?
13.—O.S.K. Amakusa Maru HAIPHONG. 30.—O.S.K. Taikwa Maru 1.—M. M. Hanoi	Nov. 31.—P. & O. Khiva Nov. 3.—J.C.J.L. Costkerk 3B. F. Calchas 7.—V.Y.K. Hakoziki Maru	(Pautowie Samulae)
1C. N. Taming 13:-O. S. K. Amakusa Maru PAKHOI.	10 - H.S.L. Oldenburg 11 - M. M. Angkor 14 - P. & O. Mantha 18 - B. F. Farpedon	Nanking, Oct. 28.  There is a considerable concentration of allied troops at Nanking.
1.—C.N. Taming. 13.—O. S. K. Amakusa Maru SAIGON.	Dec. 1B. E. Trolius	All junks are being commandeered at Nauking and Chinking, whose owners object to transport the allied
BANGEOK.  30.—C. N. Kaying	8.—N.Y.K., Kiano Miru 8.—M. M. Andre Lebon 1.—P. & O. Mores 18.—B. F. Patroclus 28.—M. M. Paul Lecut	General Bei Pao-shan, who is re- ported to have left Haichow for the
3.—I.C.S.N. Rwaisang 11.—O.S.K. Skrow Maru SINGAPORM. 30.—S Line Pres. Lincoln	23R. F. Theseus 24I.C. J.L. Westerdyk LIVERPOOL AND GLASGOW	South-West with 20,000 allied troops.  A Tsingtoo message states that
1.—N.Y.K. Awa, Maru 1.—C. N. Kinzyush 18.—S Line Pres. Cleveland 10.—P. & O. Kashmir	18.—B F. Sarpedon	with large supplies of ammunition,
19.—B. B. Legazpi  MANILA.  30.—S Line Pres. Li coln.  2.—U.S.S.B. West Cadren.	Dec. 1—B. F. Trailus 1.—B. F. Menolaus 7.—N. Y. K. Delagos Maru 16.—B. F. Patroclus	participate in a flank attack on the allied forces and simultaneously
4.—C.P.S. Empress of Russi 4.—E. & A. St Albana 5.—H.A.L. Oldenburg 11.—U.S.S.B. West Ivan	29,—B. F. Phogens	thive southwards:  The main Fengtien Army, which is strongly posted to the South of Hauchow, holds a 50-mile front, in-
13.—3 Line Pres. Cleveland. 18.—N.Y.K Mishims Maru 2.—B. J. Tanda 2.—O.P.S. Empress of Asia. 4.—B.A.L. Rassland.	Dec. 20.—E. A. Afrika  LONDON.  (Via Singapolia)  Oct. 31.—P. & O. Khiya	cluding a portion of the Lunghai Railway. Honan troops are keeping well
4.—B. & S. Changte  18.—C.P.S. Empress of Canad  19.—B. B. Legavol  CEBU & ILOILO	Nov. 1 V. V. R. Mitq Maru	inside the border. Reports are con- flicting regarding their real attitude.
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8. B	Tons	Hongroug (About)	DESTINATION	16.—J.O.J.L. 10:—J.O.J.L. FROM
				Nov. 2.—H. & A. 3.—J.O.J.L.
FERHIVAU	9,135	Slat Oct.	Marrollies, Casablanca, London, Hull	3.—J.C.J.L. 6.—N.Y.R.
MANTUA	10,902	14th Nov.	Marseilles and London	8.—A.O.L. 19.—J.C.J.L
"KASHMIR"	9,144 8,985	28th Nov.	Marseilles, London and Antwerp S'apore, Penang, Col'ho & Bombay Marseilles and London	PROM.
"MOREA"	9,005	26th Dec. 1926	Marselles, London & Antwerp	Nov. 27,—P. & O. Jap. 8:—P. & O.
"MACEDONIA"	11,089	9th Jan. 23rd Jan.	Marseilles and London & Antwerp	Nov. 4A.O.L. 6,-B. J.
"DELTA" "MALWA"	8,097	6th Feb.	B'pore Penang, Col'bo & B'bay Marseille and London	9.—0.P.R. 16.—A.O.L.
MANTUA"	9,089 10,90 <b>3</b>	6th Mar,	Marseilles, London & Antwerp Marseilles and London Marseilles, L'don Antwerp & H'burg	Dec. 8-C.P.S.
"KASHIMIR"	8,985 9,135	18th Mar. 20th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp   Marseilles and London	Nov. 6.—B. I.
"MOREA" "KALYAN"	9,144	3rd April 17th April 1st May	Marseilles, London & Autworp Marseilles & London	17 N.Y.K.
"KASHGAR"	9.005	15th May	Marsellles, London & Antwerp	Jan. 8.—F. & A.
B 4.			Characteristic of a sea of the first managers of	Feb. 6.—B. I. Mar. 12.—F. & A.
		Dark Pale	All ton Passangers and Cargo to	AprB. & A.

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BRIT	ISH INDIA-APOAR SAILINGS
"BANTHIA" "TILAWA" "TALAMBA" "TALMA"	8 500   26th Nov.   Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.   10,000   1st Dec.   Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.   8,018   14th Dec.   Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.   10,000   25th Dec.   Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
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6,958 3rd Mar. | 3rd Mar. | 75b April ) \*Calls at Hoile but omits Sandakan;

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SAILINGS	· TO	SHAN	IGHAI & JAPAN	_
"BALYAND	9,144	1st Nov.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.	
		at Noon.	Carry Pales and Donker	
"SANTHIA!"	8,500	2nd Nov	Moji, Kobe and Osaka.	
"T'AN DA"	6,958	7th Nov.	Moli, Kobe and Yokohama.	
"TILAWA"	10,000	14th Nov.	Kobe.	
M MOBBA"	13,911	14th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.	
"EAS HMIR"	8,985	14th Nov.	do.	
"TALAMBA"	8,016	25th Nov.	Kobe.	
"RASEGAR"	0,005	28th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.	
"SOUDAN"	6,696	28th Nov.	Shanghai and Kobe.	
"TALMA"	10,000	fih Dec.	Kobs.	
" MACEDONIA"	11,089	12th Doc.	Shanghai, Moli and Kobe.	
"BICILIA"	6,812	12th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	
"ARAFURA"	8,000	12th Doc.	Moil, Kobe & Yohohams.	
"EHYBER"	9,114	26th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji and Koba.	
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"MALWA"	10,941	9th Jan.	Bhanghai, Moji and Kobe.	
"DEBPA"	8,097	9th Jan.	Shanghai and Kobe	
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	Ath Jan.	Moji, Kobs and Yokohama.	
"KARWALA"	9,128	23rd Jan.	Shanghal, Moji and Kobs	
"MANTUA"	10,902	5th Feb.	Shanghal, Moli and Kobs.	į.
KASHMIR"	8,985	eth Fob.	Shanghai and Ko'e	
"TANDA"	6,958	6th Feh.	Moli, Koba & Yokohama	
"KHIVA"	9,135	10th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	
"MOREA"	10.911	6th Mar.	Shanghel, Moji & Kobe	
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"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	10th April	Moji, Kobe and Yokohama	
" KASHGAR"	9,005	16th April	Changhai, Mojl and Kobe	

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Four hundred delegates, representing one hundred and forty Burns Clubs in different parts of FROM BHANGHAL the world, attended the annual conference of the Burns Federation, which was presided over at Edinburgh by Sir Robert Bruce, Pres Grant FROM NORTH CHINA. of Glasgow. Tjibcdas . The report stated that Burns 13,---J.O. I.D. Clubs had, in most cases, ceased

to be purely social glubs, and had become Scottish patriotic and Harana Maru literary fellowships, Old Burnsians 6.-B. F. Glaucus 10,-B, F. would be surprised to know that Patroclus 23,-B. F. Rury bates there were on the Federation Roll. 23.-B. F. clubs that were composed 26.—B. F. teetotallers and others that were 7.-B. F. Elponor 8:--B. F composed solely of ladies. 8.-B. F. In submitting 'a resolution in Luong Huong. 20,-B. F. Dardanus 23. - B. F.

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"Oh, George!" she exclaimed "this is so suddens. Why I---" "What I want to ask is this," he and your mother desided upon for our wedding?" -

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Per A.O.L s.c. " Pros. Jefferson" on Pet 28: - Mr D. A. G. niwin, Mr and aking a stroll one evening. I on the word Mrs. R. Verches, Mr. D. P. Cartwright of the stroll one evening. I on the Walker, Miss B. A. Dwyer, Mr. O. P. Neuffers, Mr.J. Abrahamsen, Mme. -am going to ask you an important F. Ortiz, Mr M. A. Algate Mr H. Question. Misses El and M Campa (2), Mira L Webbar, Me ara hin. ding kui, H. W Dean, N. Jhuromall, T. Khubuhandi, W. G. Peterson, Mrand Mrs E. S. Lorenz, nterrupted. 'What date have your Mr and Mrs P. Mayer, Mr H See and M. G. Uremateut

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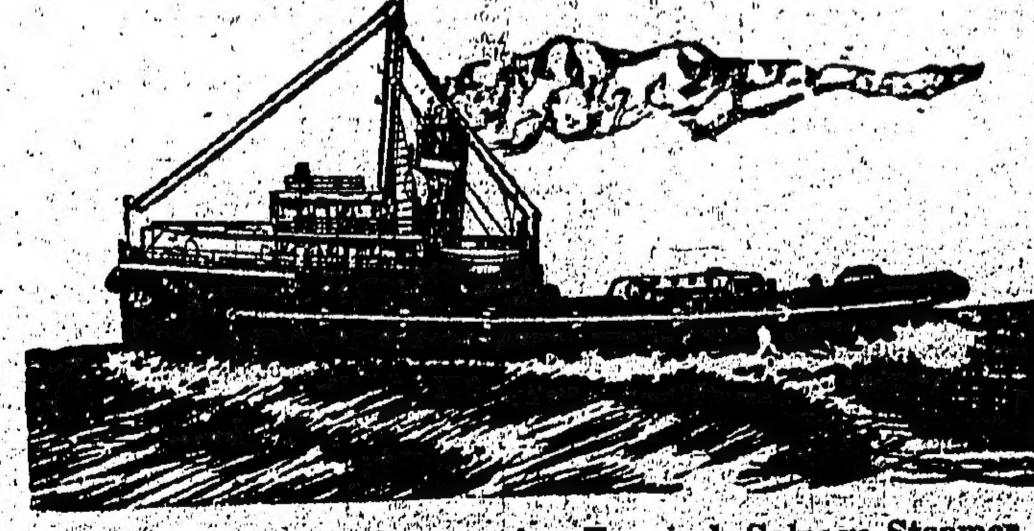
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MOTOR NOISES.

Time was when complaint was made at the noises made by cerand made for irritation. least one of these things. erally speaking, matters not improved in certain directions: Noise has been added until it is almost permissible alter the old designation of a city

stopped. One method of stopping it would be to regulate the hours of parking. If the Hotel is compelled to close its doors at tain members of the Chinese midnight, it seems reasonable to community. Their method of con- suggest that no- car or cycle versation, expectoration, and the should be allowed to be on this clanging of cymbals and the firing particular stand after midnight. of crackers on ceremonial and The matter certainly needs investook place yesterday at St. John's other occasions, lacerated nerves tigation, more so in view of the Cathedral Hall of Miss Maurine allegation that the noise made by regulations have mitigated at cars can be heard in the early and Mr. Alexander George Gen- hours of the morning. On the Grantham, son of Madame have general question of noises - we refer all through to what may be deemed unnecessary noises the Grantham). problem is difficult of solution. The pedestrian will allege one of fragrant streams to a city of thing in this respect, and the dreadful night or noises. driver another. Perhaps a re- georgette crepe embroidered with mingle. Clownship, it might be place of this a fuller account of Modernism may bring benefits in | medy can be found in regulating its train, but it also has its dist the speed of cars in the centre of advantages. Serious complaint the town to the lowest possible Mrs. J. N. McCune as Matron of reaches the "China Mail" of the minimum, in this way, perhaps, Honour, dressed in two shades of noise made by motor vehicles of avoiding the use of the horn to the all descriptions. It is alleged that extent which now prevails. Anmuch of this noise is unnecessary, other method would be to give who acted in the capacity of thest of indifference and selfishness drivers—who, presumably are in Both before and at the con-struction trick. This was based His book is equipped with many old which should be repressed if it is the majority—on this question of the Cathedral organist, played and organism; out of what seemed from his own which are in the at all possible to do so. A judge, noise, and, if it can be done, to suitable wedding music; in the days of the vogue of the make the intelligent use of the A reception was afterwards clown or harlegung would emerge they are apt to the text and enpush bicycle, once said that a horn a part of the granting of a held at the Hongkong Hotel, evelist rang his bell to let you licence. Other suggestions will beldebroom besembled to offer know he was coming. ... You occur to those interested. We that congretulations and to partiwere wrong in a traffic sense, you give publicity to the matter, not cipate in the happy proceedings amended your ways it not you merely from having had, axper the tor their homeymoun, the kept on your own way dearing in, ence of the trouble but because wilder going away dress balls of

distant. The thing sounds res- very real and very carned.

CORRESPONDENCE LAW TERMS.

(To the Editor of the China Mail).

to have been stolen," which I be- out, lieve are the words actually used in charge sheets, when a man is brought up with stolen goods. "I it is purely a prejudice against the arrested, had guilty knowledge that the goods were stolen property. The wording which I am complaining certainly cannot be employed as it is unnecessary. If a man arrested with stolen property, let it be stated in the charge sheet by means, that "the ucoused

charged with stolen property (beliened to have been stolen). it remains for the Court to hear international language, as seems how the accused came in possession highly probable, surely no one will of it. One cannot flatly accuse maintain that its progress toward another for full knowledge of any- that goal will in any wise be aided thing when really he knows not by the myriad unreasonable comeven the timest portion of it. I plications of orthodox orthocompliment the members of the graphy. This is not advocating a Jury for giving their careful attention to this case, and particularly, the consideration which they took in unanimously agreeing that the accused had no guilty knowledge That the milk was stolen property. It all depends on how guilty knowledge comes in and evidence in connection with it is essential before. the Court can necrese a man with A Fortune sum of money awaitthe full guilt. I say it is a dongerous practice with the wording in invent something which will keep the charge sheet, as any law- cockronches and worms from books. abiding citizen would have the occasion of meeting a magistrate on that "grave" charge. Supposing my eight vendor who committed to theft of eigars, (the boxes of which were marked) and sent me my usual box of cigars out of these, will obvious that the public can never and helpless gid jester, and the I have the guilty knowledge that my box is stolen property, and will know what is the meaning of

sonable. Would that judge adopt my arrest before un explanation is pedestrian must get out of the ing on a charge sheet. Mistakee Complaint is almost general that I would like to give another example. one who has had his flesh made go the accused that he was seen with him, will dispute such a fact as as it was not in accused's person this. Another thing mentioned is when he was arrested. A member produced in Court but the officials science about the exploitation not waste-paper that you scribble on !!

Yours, etc. JUSTICE. Hougkong, October 28.

# LOCAL WEDDING.

GRANTHAM-SAMSON.

Followed by a reception at the Hongkong Hotel, the wedding Neal of San Francisco, U.S.A., Munthe, of Peking and of the late son of the late Mr. Justice a fantastical dumb-show that ower His account of the latter suffers

the Rev. T. B. Powell. Claud Severn, K.B.E., C.M.G., and was attended by her sister. orchid crepe over silver cloth. The bridegroom was accompanied by Mr. W. Richardson,

where the friends of the bride and

# SHRDDSWANDRAND

Sir,-Arising out of the Criminal October 29, 1664. be in g my Shreds man hestiates to say there Bessions case yesterday in which a Lord Mayor's may be a distinction in the classifica-Chinese was charged with receiving show, my boy and three maids tion—are continually vexed by the three tins of milk. I would like to went out; but it being a very foul, raids on their books. The metter question the advisability of the use rainy day from morning till night, is best expressed by a correspondentof the words well knowing them I was sorry my wife let them go to the Times Literary Supple-

. Certainly Mr. Percy strongly object to this wording, as REASON. Simpson, fellow of Oriel College, Oxford, accused concerned, and in call had much reason on his side in the probability, it may cause the mem- plea he made at a recent meeting bers of the Jury to create an im- in London arranged by the pression that the accused when Simplified Spelling Society. "Why in the name of common sense." he asked, "could we not revert to such simple historical spellings as 'plow' for 'plough,' as in the Authorized Version of the Bible. and 'tho' for 'though,' as in the poems of Tennyson?" And it is difficult to find an answer to his question which gives satisfaction. If English is destined to become at some time, in the future an wholesale departure from established standards of spelling, but shutting one's eyes to the fact that many words in the English language are spelled according to no rhyme or reason is not conducive to its larger use.

There is a considerable ing the person able to

Up, and to Book-lovers and collectors the ment" writing from Barbados !

May L through your columns make an appeal to British publishers and bookbinders? In this, as also, I believe, in other propical countries, one's most treasured books are sooner or later riddled with tunnels by a gurb, apparently the larva of a beetle. A volume not in daily use is almost certain to be damaged or destroyed. Various liquids are procurable which at least discourage these peats; but these do no good to delicate bindings, and not all are effective. But I have noticed that French and German bound books are absolutely immune. On these I never put any "protective" solution, but they are never touched. I presume, therefore, that some ingredient-arsenic, perhaps-is med by Continental but not by British binders.

It would be a great boon to book-lovers residing in the tropics to be assured of the safety of their treasures; to me personally it would mean the removal of a deterrent. There are few vexations more acute than to find a valued and perhaps irreplaceable volume marred and mutil-

I trust I may succeed in drawing to this matter the attention of some at least of our producers of books.

# THE FUNNY MAN.

imagining the garret and the invalid, says the "Manchester "Guardian." The famous "Alas, sir, the same reasoning with regard to I hope that proper measures be I am Grimaldi. ' is attributed to taken in future in the Police De- many another jester, and the public motor hoot is to indicate that the partment to give the correct word- revels heartily in what Mr. Willson are bound to come sometimes but Disher, the author of "Clowns and for ever to the swiftly moving there was an occasion in which Mesers. Constable and Co., calls gests-"murder" was in place of man- "sadistories of the death of clownes. I have something still left, for trian. We need not ergue on this, shughter" in a case elsewhere, and The circus itself is compact of vonr judgment's approval motor horns are, in a majority of charged on several counts, one of the rain, the humiliated animals and my removals cases, used harshly, too frequent- which was "the possession of a the raggle-baggle showmen whom suddenly cold by the furious sound the revolver at the time of the sixpences in seaside towns are as attack, but the Court officials failed dismas a contrast with the spirit that of a moment overwhelms to produce the revolver mentioned, of mirth us cruel ingenuity could The once merry Momus, poor Joe. fashion. These days, moreover, that parking places, are very of the Jury challenged the charge are niggardly occasions for the and demanded that the revolver he clown. The growth of public confailed and the charge was immedi- animals (except in Latin countries) itely dismirred. Charge sheets are causes the circus to dwindle; leave can out the vexed question of gruelty. and the sorry futility of the waitzing pony remains to drive decent people from the tent. The clown must

suffer for the showman's sins. But the clown is not to be extinguished lightly. Mr. Disher's admirable of a rigid technique

One of the most interesting full length study of Grimsldi in clown a company and delves withwhich emphasis is laid Grimaldi s innovation of the on a playful confusion of mechanism prints, from public collections and Brom what appeared to be the con-lighten the mysteries of clownship's tents of a housemaid a cupboard he developing technique would himself emerge us a one-men band Grimsldi conformed to the premature old age foot in money and health but tree in friends. The four seasons. mind that a cyclist was not far the complaints made have been two shades of paners diversely the complaints made have been two shades of paners of the Marinia of the Marin

Clowns are born to an irony so incomplate without the menniless see the gambols of Joey without proprietor went each evening to the clown's room, and carried him on his back to enjoy and to enrich the company. But Grimaldi was no traditionalist in his work. As a satirist he was called "Hogarth in action." and as comic inventor the continually added to the repertury of his craft. He was a poet too, as this pitiful invocation to an old it must not be made too serious, as Pantomimes," just published by Harlequin in times of dearth sug-

ly, and not at the right time. No revolver." Evidence was against one meets wearily seeking clusive You shall have case and fiddle for the sum of £5.

So Dr. Friend Tom, remains yr

Grimaldi. I shall quit Woolwich soon, for an-

other situation And glad enough shall I be to return from trunsportation-

Once more enjoy Society, the Song or the glee and Laugh' Tell odd story's, think of present.

but not forget the past. Be Merry and wise for Time at proaches fast

For death will you know have the odd trick at last.

researches into all the highways and Mr. Disher, as a connoisseur of by ways of 'clownship' show that clowns, has treated his subject. in Momus is as slippery as Proteus, the fullest historical-analytical man-Yorick can change a disguise to her. He has burrowed into countmeet a changing taste; when antice less archives, particularly with refail he can turn actor. Slap-stick gard to the Clerkenwell school of is out of fashion now, and not long motley, and he has included an inago some Continental tumblers, who teresting biography of Grock. "Tell are "star" turns in European odd story's, think of present, but not vaudeville, were hooted by the first forget the past" is a line that does night gallery at an English revue. some justice to his energy in re-But "clownship" is not dead be search and his broad survey of cause he who gets slapped is also modern jesters on the screen, in he who gets booed. Grock initiates; the music-hall, and in pantomime. almost nothing to the old conven- from excertive attention to the de-The officiating clergyman was tion of horse-play, and Chaplin con-tails of the eighteenth-century quere the world by lifting the pseudo-classical Harlequin plays, The bride, who was charmingly clown's business into the nipping since these appear to have deserved attired in ivory satin and air where comedy and tragedy com- the fate which killed them off. In pearls, was given away by Sir thought, is essentially a matter of the nineteenth-century pentomime ritual, but the great clowns have which has survived would have been protestants against the tyranny been welcome. Mr. Disher is plainty the man to reconstruct any phase of buried showmanship. He sections of Mr. Disher a book is his has a consuming passion for the out weariness in the wilderness of fold play-bills and playboust scripts. to be a bundle of properties fullest kense illustrations for

# SYRIAN TROUBLE.

DAMASCUS SITUATION WORSENS.

MORE TROOPS NEEDED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, October 28. where agitation is growing and to roply. brigandage is increasing in the

Homshama area. Repeated attempts are being made to cut the railway lines. The message adds that the French authorities admit available troops are insufficient and have therefore decided to appeal for reinforcements from France.

A message from Rabat states that two cavalry regiments have been despatched from Morocco to

SERIOUS CHARGE.

Paris, October 28. French uneasiness in regard to Journal" asking whether it is true, as the English newspapers declare, that General Sarrail, - prior to the bombardment. omitted to follow the elementary rule of the law of nations whereby the Consular Body is informed and due warning is given for the evacuation of women and children. It says that it is stated that the omission led to a protest by the Consular Body transmitted by its doyen, the German Consult whose recall General Sarrail then « demanded.

# NAVY, CUTS.

REDUCING SUBMARINE STRENGTH.

FEWER OFFICERS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 27. ...In pursuance of its policy of retrenchment, the Admiralty announces that all K class submarines will be scrapped except K26; which, with four L class submarines, will form the reconstituted first submarine flotilla.

The special reserve of engineer officers will be abolished and the special reserve of Royal Marine officers reduced.

The second cruiser squadron will be reduced by the "Calliope," placing in reserve one destroyer. governing party of the Socialist needed to grasp its demoralising Rural Lands .......

in the number of tenders attached to the harbour training establishment at Home ports.

# MORRISS MARRIES.

SERIOUS CHARGE SEQUEL.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 28. Hayley Morriss has been married at Uckfield.

Tuesday's cables stated that Hayley Morriss, a wealthy former China resident, who is being charged with having been engaged in a conspiracy for systematic seduction, had applied to the Superintendent Registrar of Uckfield for a licence to marry Madeline Roberts, aged 20 years, described as his housekeeper and charged along with him."

# FAREWELL DINNER.

WEMBLEY'S CLOSING DAYS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 29. The Duke of York presided at a farewell dinner given by the Empire Exhibition Commissioners for the Dominions and Colonies to the Exhibition Board Administrative staff.

Mr. Justly Rawlings, Australia, the Imperial Government might Bulgarian frontier post. be induced to maintain the ownership of Wembley and again show

all sections of the Empire at morning. Wembley, presented a silver bowl to Lord Stevenson and a silver tray to Sir Travers Clarke, the chief administrator.

# ONE MORE.

funding esthonia's

DEBT.

(Reuter's American Services)

Washington, October 28. An agreement has been signed by the Treasury for funding

Esthonia's debt of \$14,000,000.

# PREMIER AGAIN.

NEW CABINET FOR PAINLEVE

BRIAND TO REMAIN.

(Reuter's Service.)

invitation to form a Cabinet.



M. Doumergue.

M. Painteve line accepted the premiersbip... Mt. Briand retires the portfeolio

of Foreign Minister. . Paris, Och. 29. Following separate meetings this

morning, the Eleft Cartell comprising Badical-Socialists, Gauche Badiends, Republican-Socialists and Sociatists, patched up their differences under agreed in general terms to a

necessary funds the socialists are acquiescing in this compromise the formula of which does not specify bleir panaces of a capital levy. Berlin, Oct. 29: "

the dissolution of the Reichstag. although they consider the Locarno agreements a pronounced success for their own policy...

This seems to indicate there will he no Reichstag majority for the Pact, and a general election is the only solution.

# BALKAN TROUBLE.

GREEKS AND BULGARS SUBMIT.

LEAGUE'S DECISION FINAL.

(Reuter's Service.)

. Paris, Oct. 28. At a meeting of the League Council the Greek and Bulgarian representatives unnounced the unconditional acceptance of Council's decision and undertook Military Attaches.

HARLIER CABLES. Athens, Oct. 28. The Circek reply to the Council of the League of nations states that. the Greek evacuation of Bulgaria will commence to-morrow and the incident is now regardable as closed. All that remains is for the

the world what the Empire meant. That the Bulgarians attacked the The Duke of York on behalf of Greek forces near Ramna this

# AT LONG LAST.

(Reuter's Service.)

Wellington, October 28. cided to return to their ships.

(Reuter's Service.)

Calcuta October 28 here from Hangport

# A ONE MANTANK.

MODERN KNIGHT IN ARMOUR.

DEADLY INFANTRY WEAPON.

Staying in a certain country district. I came upon an astonishing sight—a vision which, transported me to the Middle Ages, M. Puinleve has been summoned when armour-clad knights and T.T. on Shanghai ..... Beirut's correspondent, the situa- to the Elysee. He told pressmen men-at-arms rode over the tion has become worse during the lifterwards that if he was offered the countryside, writes Captain B. H. past ten days around Damascus Premiership he would need time Liddell Hart in the Daily Hongkong Bank ...... Telegraph." No "White Com-M. Painleve subsequently said he pany" of a Conan Doyle has ever must consult his friends before de- made the past so vivid, yet this finitely auswering M. Doumergne's sight was far more significant than any picture of the past-for it was also a peep into the future. Here, before my eyes, I saw pass swiftly a menacing, armour-clad form, scarcely larger than the mediæval knight on horseback, North China Insurance. tearing down the road almost as Union Insurance ..... fast as the latter could have Yangtze Insurance . galloped, "turning in as narrow a space and with less check. But instead of a horse's unprotected China Fire Insurance... legs it had steel tracks, and in H.K. Fire Insurance ... place of a spear that infinitely more deadly weapon—a light machine-gun. True, a closer look Hongkong Steamboats showed that this was but a dummy, that the armoured cell in which the rider was enclosed was only grey-painted wood-though with ample ballast carried to re- Oriental Navigation present its armour load-and Shell Transports trivial crudities of appearance revealed the home-made product. Water-boats But no superficial roughness could hide its formidable power, nor the fact that it could make a havoc China Sugars ...... among ordinary infantry such as could only be paralleled by the Malabon Sugars ..... mediæval knight loose among a horde of peasants.

Demoralising Effect.

Surprise changed to awe when this swentieth century man-at- Shanghai Exploration ... arms, mounted on his mechanical Shanghai Loan . charger, climbed out of the road Raubs up an almost perpendicular, bank Tronoh Mines at least four feet high, raced Ural Caspians across a stretch of rough gorse country at a speed such as no runner could have approached joint policy on the basis of the and no horseman would have H.K. & K. Wharves Cartel's programme at the hast cared to attempt across such H.K. & W. Docks election, namely : Herriot's policy, ground, turning abruptly in a Hongkews It is noteworthy that as regards narrow circle that would have New Engineerings finance, the Cartel resolved to been the envy of a London taxi- Shanghai Docks favour a tax on acquired wealth, driver. Next it headed for a For the purpose of obtaining small but steep hill, climbed it unfalteringly at a speed of at H.K. & S. Hotels (old) ... least 6-7 m.p.h.; and then threaded its way through a tree planta- Hongkong Lands ..... tion which a horse or a pack-mule H.K. Realty could barely have traversed. To an observer with infantry, war A communiqué issued by the experience little imagination was The flotillas attached to the Pourty, states that the punty did not effect, and also to understand how. Atlantic Fleet will be reduced to vote on the Locarno Bill in the the foot-soldier of pre-rifle and Ewo Cottons serve.

Reductions will also be effected to acquit the German nationalists when he was caught in the open Shanghai Cottons (old). of responsibility for voting for the by charging cavalry. To avoid it rutification of the Security Pact, even on such broken ground The socialists therefore demand seemed impossible.

If the infantryman has a Canton Ices similar feeling when he sees the Cements (comb.) · large Vickers tank with which the Army is now being equipped, he can find slight consolation in cer- China Buses ..... tain counterbalancing factors, China Lights (comb.) .. They are expensive, costing about £9,000 apiece, and so there are comparatively - few at present; China Prov. (comb.) ... they appear a large and also an impersonal adversary, so that he can cherish the hope that the Dairy Farms ..... artillery may knock them out Der A Wing (full pd.) before they can reach him, and if not, that, being small in compari- Hongkong Amusements. son, he can dodge them or, as an HK. Constructions individual, escape their notice. Hongkong Electrics But this reincarnation of the H.K. Developments ... mediæval knight, this one-man tank, was itself so small that over this broken country it was difficult to see when a few hundred yards away, so small that one felt how slight and difficult a target it would offer to artillery. But, assuming that it avoided the to facilitate the task of the Allied fire protecting the infantryman, its very smallness imbued it with Sinceres that personal menace which is the Singapore Trams most demoralising factor in war, Taxis which in the past the close- United Asbestos quarter charge with the bayonet inspired. But further, and most notable of all, this one-man tank Watsons (old) was, I discovered, largely built up of ordinary car components—an engine taken out of an-old car; a League to enquire into the respon Ford lorry back-axle, and so on. sibilities and claims of the two Thus a few hundred pounds would easily cover its cost, and it could Sofia, Oct. 28. be mass produced at short notice. proposing the toast of the Board It is officially announced that the In these days of financial

cheaply turned out.

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A Private Experiment. Think of it! For the cost of an adversary as the tank. The ininfantry battalion we could have, fantry cannot carry them, and at a rough reckoning of capital pack-mules are an excessively of the Empire Exhibition, hoped Greeks this morning fired on a stringency the brake on mechani- and maintenance charges, not less, vulnerable, target. But mount calisation is expense, but this than 300 of such one-man them in these miniature tanks and Athens, Oct. 28. obstacle disappears if one-man "mobile armoured machine-gun they become the menace to the An official aunouncement states tanks can be so simply and nests," perhaps as many as 500, larger tank that the torpedo 2. Imagine two opposing armies, one became to the battleship. The ordinary unprotected foot- with ordinary infantry, the other. Not the least remarkable of the

Wm. Poweils

upkeep. Seven of these and an tacked by 800 to 500 of these ment, not an official one, designed n.c.o. go to form a light automa-diminutive machines, what chance by an engineering enthusiast in a tic section at small war establish- would the artillery have of stop. little workshop in his own house, ment, which means that the cost ping them, what chance the in and put together in his garage of putting one light machine-gun fantry of avoiding the stings of Some day, perhaps not far distant into action is something like this dense swarm of wasps?" his name may be as famous, as The striking seamen have de- \$1,600 a year—and the weapon is Again, this comparatively that of a Shrapnel or a Maximu slow-moving and vulnerable. A crude, if highly effective, experi- But for many reasons, not least one-man tank, also with one light mental machine may give us the because the machine may undergo MAJOR-DI PINEDO LA LOCAL DE CONTROLLA DE CONTROLLA DE LOCAL DE LA CONTROLLA DE finitely more mobile whell splinter; problem of the moment, Various it emerges from its seclusion, the

enough to combat such an elusive

slogging infantryman costs, with mechanical infantry; each machine thus happed upon is roughly, 2200 a year for his infantry battalion of the one at that it is a purely private experiand bullet proof but would meen anti-tank weapons for the close time is not ripe, not it it advis 1 ether clarge saving in the acting protection of intentry against ablertor meth go into the fuller attention that the the foller of the design which even a class of the contraction of the foller of the design which even a contraction of the foller of the design which even a contraction of the foller of the design which even a contraction of the foller of the design which even a contraction of the foller of the design which even a contraction of the foller of th Major: di Pipedo has arrived army could be multiplied asveral and are now being tested but the brief climpes of this ope man tank times over for the same cost; I difficulty, is to make them mobile to yealed.

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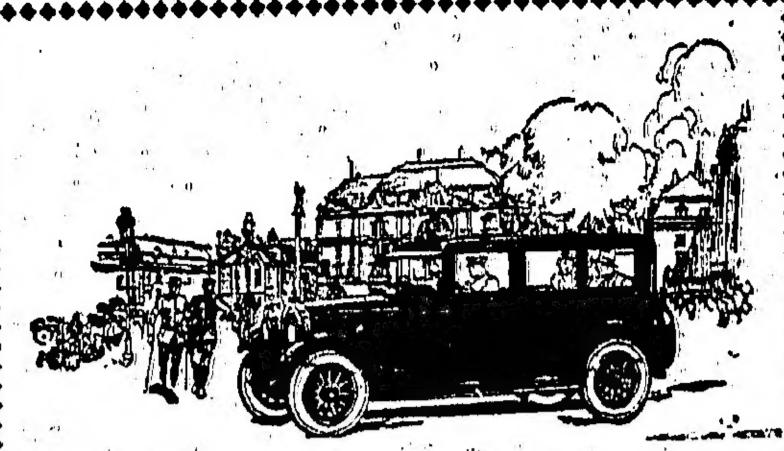
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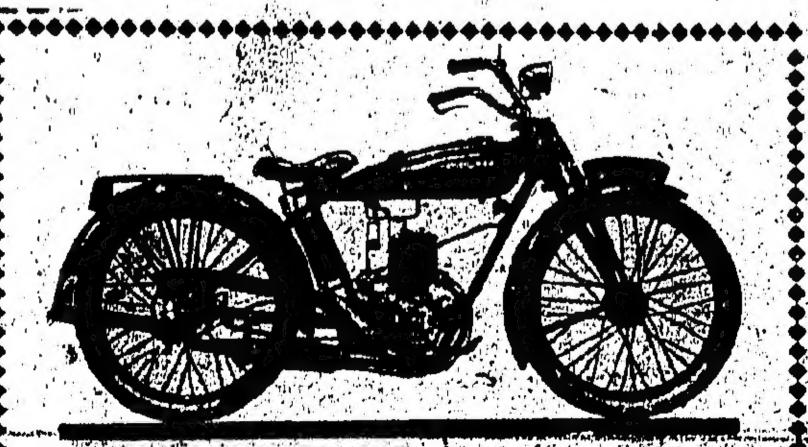
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### CENERAL AND LOCAL

The return of notifiable. disenses for the 24 hours ended Tuesday, shows a clean record.

The official opening of the new Y.M.C.A. building in Kowloon will take place at the latter end of November.

The silk shipped per s.s. 'President Madison," which sailed from Hongkong at 5 p.m. on September 30, arrived New York at midnight on October 24-having been 24 calendar days in tran-

. All meals for and after before they are required. Rooms Secretary. .

November 4, with an extra meet- eight minors. ing on November 7. The "Empress of Canada," sailing in Shanghai on November 1, Nations, Mrs. Mackirnon (Aus- half of India, said allowing race enthusiasts an op- tralia), in supporting the report Bruce's announcement Races open.

that' Hongkong gets a whole fortable homes." series of Wagner excerpts at a sitting. The picture from every

running.

was most difficult, otherwise there darkness. was no incident.

labourers, have returned from ply of girls is so small that they Hawalian Sugar plantations dur- are generally spoken for before ing the third quarter of the year, birth. The father of the pros-November 2 needed at Fanling compared to 701 during the same pective bride-groom usually takes should be ordered at Cafe Wise- period last year During July, an option from the prospective man before 8.30 p.m. on the day August and September, 608 men, parent of the bride and pays one 72 women and 88 minors, returned yak down before the birth of the should be booked through the as compared with 557 men. 57 girl, and sometimes even before same period last year Filipino other payments are due annually The Shanghai Races begin emigrants to Hawaii last month until completed. on November 2, and continue to totalled 246 men, one woman and

In the course of proceedings | Moore of from here on October 30 arrives at the Assembly of the League of Statesman," speaking on beportunity to get settled before the | dealing with relief for Armenian | domiciled Indian subjects of the To-night is the last showing Armenian women, kept in Turkish pleasure in India. Between India fessor Gonzalez and his men is they are glad and proud to marry cohesion of the Empire. . well merited. It is not every day | those women, and give them com-

point of view is an unalloyed ture which seems both interesting says he encountered an unusual and profitable. A man with a submarine freak in mid-July, liking for anything in the way of while passing the northern end of The first championship of the soldering tin articles decided to the Island of Sumatra. He en-Shek-O Club is to be played on fit up a travelling motor-van, and countered a submarine earth-Sunday. There are thirty entries, stocked it with ironmongery of quake, immediately followed by a which include a number of pro- every description in carefully huge eruption of oil from the minent players. Mr. A. H. Fergu- fitted shelves, in addition to his ocean bed. The oil eruption son who captained the Hongkong | soldering outfit. He toured the | bubbled to the surface like a Interport team against Shanghai most inaccessible parts of the gigantic geyser and spread for a last year is the favourite. Play- country and gradually formed re- distance of more than two miles ing over the course last Wednes- gular rounds. Then his two sons in circumference. Captain day he did a 75, which is regarded | took up the same trade, in other | Lowry said that at the time of the as a very creditable achievement. new districts. Each now has his oil eruption a heavy swell was R. Hancock and Capt. Bloxham own private car and employs a running but the copious quanare also expected to be well in the mechanic. Of course, they pay no tities of oil calmed the sea to rates, and only selected taxes. | mill-pond quietness.

Mr. Harry Ore is to give his At a luncheon given by the first piano recital of the season Council and members of the Japan next Tuesday in the City Hall. Society in honour of Major He will be nasisted by Mrs. R. Abe, Mr. Kawachi and their flight companions, Colonel the Master of Sempill, who headed a British The Cape to Cairo Crossley aviation mission in Japan recentmotor expedition, commanded by ly, paid a high tribute to the Major Court : Treatt, reached airmen's courage and skill in find-Nairobi on September 30, having ling a landing-place in a strange covered 7.800 miles. The journey country, despite dense fog and

A girl costs from 15 to 17 yaks 'As many as 7.68 Filipino (oxen) in Kashagaria and the supwomen and 87 minors during the the birth of the bride-groom. The

At a banquet at Parliament House, Melbourne, Mr. Arthur women and children, made the King-Emperor would be given full remarkable statement that civic rights would be read with of "Siegfried" at the Queen's harems, were disfigured, their and Australia there was an ever-Theatre. The musical setting is faces being tattoed. "But," she increasing strategic bond. Both in keeping with this superb pic- added. "it must be to the eternal were faced with a common danger ture, and a word in praise of Pro- credit of the Armenian men that and their safety lay in the

> Captain K. B. Lowry, commander of the round-the-world There is a new business ven- Dollar liner "President Garfield,"

# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Empress of Carlada."

Mr. D. A. Goodwin is a passenger on the "President Jefferson" which left yestertlay for Manila.

attended by the Official Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils were entertained at the Hongkong Club yesterday at tiffin by the Unofficial Members of both Councils. A handsome silver loving cup was presented to the Governor as a token of their esteen and regard.

Mr. D. M. Goodall playing over the Deep Water Bay course last week did the eighth, 120 yards, with his stee shot. Mr. J. M. Walker has been credited with a similar achievmeent at Manila.

Surgn. Commander N. S. Meiklejohn has been appointed to I.M.S. "Tamar."

Mr. T. G. Patterson, is a passenger on the "President Jefferson" which left for Manila yester-

Command Orders states that Cuptain J. M. Hunt, 5/2nd Puniab Regiment, has returned from India.

Customs Conference in Pelcing. Fraser Shield to the Wolf Cubs. They are Miss Fumiko Saegusa; liss Yacko Tomita, Miss Kiyoko Shibata, and her sister, Miss Oriye Shibata. This is the first time that Jupanese girls will attend an International conference as typists."

The marriage of Miss Margaret' Irene McMurray and Mr. Hurold Tresize, both of Yokohama, will be solemnized on October 31. marriage will take place Yokohama.

At the Palace of His Lordship Bishop José da Costa Nunes last Saturday, a large assembly gathered to witness the conferring of the Insignia of the Commander of the Order of St. Gregory the Greet upon Mr. Francisco Anacteto da Silva, Senctor for Macao. There was at the same time a Concert of Sacred Music contributed by of the Seminario de S. José, of this city under the very able conductor-idilizant study, and he is now the Danish school system accordship of Father Maberini.

Gaisford-St. J. Mrs. F. Alec Tweedie, the Capt. R. D. Beunett, M.C., of Lawrence, H.E. the Governor's English anthor and artiste who has the Middlesex Regiment, has been Private Secretary, is a passenger | Leen visiting China, telt Shanghal promoted to the rank of Major. for home to-morrow on the for Home, via Canada, by the steamer 'Empress of Asia,"

In celebration of the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan, the Consul-General for Japan in His Excellency the Governor Hongkong will receive members of the foreign community at the Hongkong Hotel on Saturday between 9.30 to 10:30 a.m.

Under the anspices of "H.M.S. Ambrose," a dance is to be held in lie R.N. - Canteen Theatre, tomorrow evening. The ship's company of the "Ambrose", have arranged a camival dance to take place on November 6.

Miss L. Schoen, an artiste from Holland, who has been travelling. round the world, painting its most picturesque places and people, is ut present in Shanghai and hopes arrange for an exhibition of her oil paintings in the near future.

Mr. Stirling Besenden has consented to open the new camp for the Shanghai Boy Scouts Association on the Hungiao Road on Armistice Day at 2.30 p.m. The annual Jamboree will be held on the same afternoon and the President of the Rotary Club will present the Four girl typists, of the Foreign Rotary Shield to the winning Troop Office, have been rejected to accome at the conclusion of the competition. pany Japan's delegates to the Mr. S. Barton will present the

> One of the most interested spectators of the army mancevres has been Prince Chichibu of Scotland specially for the purpose: His Imperial Highness already holds a commission in a Japanese infantry regiment, and has, of course, a very thorough knowledge of modern military tectics. The prospect of seeing them directly applied, and watching the results, was one that appealed to him greatly, and it is quite proficient in its use.

Katherine Wynne, a maid to Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, who served in the same capacity with Mrs. Warren G. Harding and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, has just appeared in Supreme Court of the District of Columbia and announced that she wanted to become an American citizen. She said she came to the United States from Ireland in 1905 and still was a British subject.

The public has only 93/1 years more in which to hear Mr. John McCormack singing for personal profit. The great tenor has decided at 401/4 to give this unusually long notice possibly to obviate the numerous last appearances which have become a singer's tradition. Fifty seems an early age to choose, a well-trained and carefully used voice, as Santley and Jean de Reszke showed, lasting almost as long as life itself. But opera makes enormous demands on both voice and vitality. Mr. McCormack will very likely appear in Hongkong.

A large collection of recently acquired souvenirs awaits the inspection of the Prince of Wales on his return to St. James's Palace. Every place visited during his lengthy tour has brought forth a host of gifts, which are packed up at regular intervals and dispatched to London in large wooden boxes. In all probability the number of "tokens of esteem" bestowed upon the Prince constitutes a record even for a Royal Japan, who has returned from tour. In many cases the gifts have been made with practical intent, and riding whips and cigarette cases play a prominent

Ever since Mrs. Nina Bang became the first woman Danish Minister, and as such also the head of the Board of Education, she has done the unexpected safe to say that no part of First the singing of the national stay has given him anthem was banned, which she greater pleasure than the four claimed was too warlike to benefit days' mimic warfare in the the public good. And when, south. The Prince has, however, despite her prohibition, the greatly enjoyed the Scottish anthem was inadvertently sung in season at Invermoriston, and has a theatre in which she happenedbeen a popular figure at many of to be, the Minister remained seatthe Highland gatherings, in which ed and moreover, pulled her he has taken the keenest interest colleagues of the Cabinet back His English by the way has now into their seats by their cost tails: greatly improved thanks to Mrs. Bang plans reconstruction of ing to the German method.

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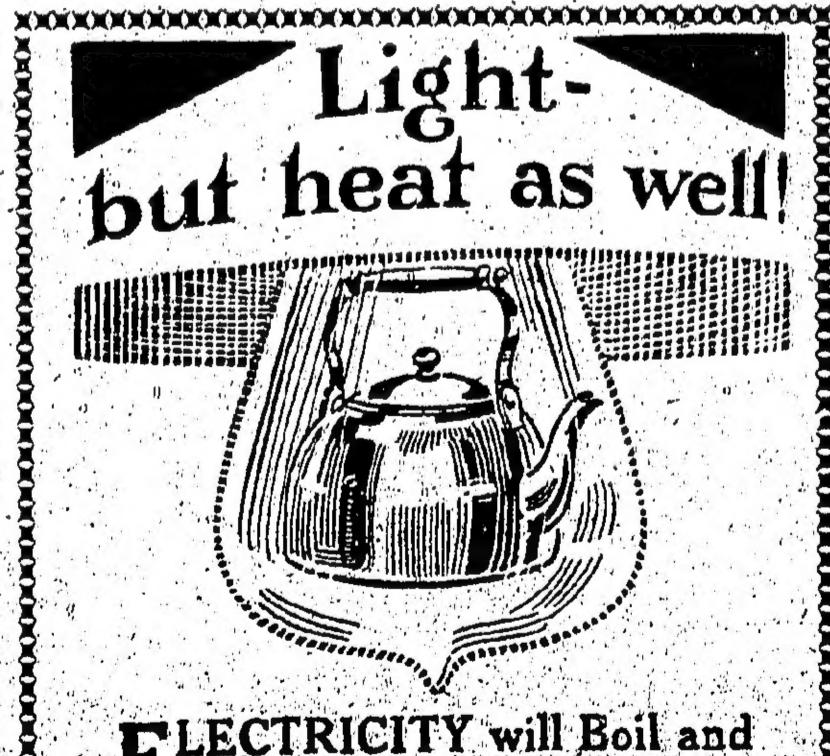
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### RUGGER DATES.

LOCAL PRACTICE NEXT

WAITING FOR SHANGHAL

Until word is received from Shanghai nothing further will be available at present as to the prospects of a rugger team from Hongkong going up North to play a return interport match about Christmas time.

With the local ground being required for the Scottish Company sports on Saturday and the uncertain date of the visit of the Philadelphia ladies! baseball team the rugby section of the Footbal Club have had a lean time for abou two weeks. To-day it was gathered that the ground will be open for practice next Tuesday and Thursday and the rugger section

shortly. Local residents desiring to play should communicate with Mr. G. P. Lammert, jr., Messrs, W. R. bursts of speed. Loxley & Co., phone C2533.

# C. C. C. MEETING.

MR. B. W. BRADBURY NEW PRESIDENT.

ACTIVITIES REVIEWED.

meeting of the Club held yester- | well-directed shot. day afternoon under the chairmanship of acting Chief Inspector W. Kent. Reference was made to the active interest taken by the late President in the sporting activities of the Club.

The Chairman regretted the absence, through indisposition, of Mr. B. W. Bradbury, the Vice-President, and in referring to cricket said that the prospects were brilliant for the future with plenty of young blood taking the place of the old. It was a matter for regret that the league tennis programme had to be abandoned, but he was pleased to learn that Interest in the game was increasing, and he hoped that next year the Club would secure the shields in both divisions. (Applause) With regard to lawn bowls, he was glad to see that the Club had profited by his advice to go in for team play and had won the Prague, the International Federaleague championship: (Applause). tion unanimously adopted With regard to lawn bowls, he resolution that it is "the highest was glad to see that the Club had profited by his advice to go in for and that it cannot accept the interlearn play and had won the league | ference or guidance of anybody championship. (Applause). He else." hoped the same success would attend them; next year, although sists of two representatives of their neighbours, the Police, each of the four national associathe year.a.

tending the Clubhouse, and one those laws on disputed points. that the balance of over \$1,000 on | gress, to revive the matter. Bucounts,

Mr. E. Mowfung seconded, and This question of usurpation was the proposal was unanimously not the only one. There was the ship's life boat.

NEW PRESIDENT.

the year, mentioning that he had and wished to legalise. but for the very great financia assistance he had rendered would not have been possible tension of the Club premises. Mr. Dixon spoke of the great interest Mr. Brudbury had taken in every. form of sport in the Club and said that it was mainly due to his leader seconding the motion. ship, coupled with the team spirit. The proposal was carried that Craigengower had won the unanimously. bowls championship this year. (Appluage)

played tennis, cricket and bowls tary; Mr. D. K. Kharas, Hon. with Mr. Bradbury at various Treasurer; Mr. D. Fritz, Captain thorough sportsman. He could Vice-captain of the let XI. Hence take a hearing and give one, and eral Committee: - Mesara C.A. 

# HOCKEY MATCH.

CLUB BEAT NAVAL TEAM

YESTERDAY AT U.S.R.C.

Dominating most of the game the Hongkong Hockey Club 1st XI defeated a Royal Navy team at the U.S.R.C. ground yesterday by

For the losers the outstanding player was by name of Fleet, of H.M.S. "Carlisle," who is an English international having, it is stated, played against France last year. He distinguished himself on the left wing. Hett, playing right half for the Club, played very well and gave an excellent ters with Fleet.

fast but the whole Club team China ground." Now the Kowloon brainy and speedy forwards, colshowed better combination and Fcotball Club have stepped into lectively and individually, seem to therein lay their superiority in a the shoes of the Surreys and are be able to get through right well-won match. The middle lines playing South China at Sookum- enough but, not to put the ball were well matched but the Club poo, leaving the Hongkong Foot- where it is wanted. forwards broke through on extra ball Club and the Surreys without

The Navy scored first. Then Woodward got a lucky goal for the Club, the ball going off his stick and trickling over the line by about six inches. Lammert then ran down the left wing and rounded off a brilliant solo effort by scoring. At half-time the Clubled by 2-1. After the interval A vote of condolence with the Lammert got his second goal; his family of the late Mr. C. H. first shot struck the post but he Lyson, the President of the put the ball in at the second time Craigengower Cricket Club, was of asking. Allen was responsible passed, with the members, all for the Club's last goal, banging standing, at the annual general the ball in with a very hard and

The Club 1st team was:-P. W. F. Mills; D. H. Sherman. A. P. T. Farquharson; A. S. Hett, E. J. R. Mitchell (capt.), E. W. L. Martin; H. Owen-Hughes, R. C. Allen, W. Woodward, B. D. Evans, G. P. Lammert.

# SOCCER RULERS.

HONGKONG'S "ROW" NOT UNIQUE.

HIGHEST BOARD TAUNTED.

Hongkong does not stand unique in that the powers of football rulers have been questioned. The position of the highest authority in soccer is threatened, as will be seen in the following:

London, Sept. 21. At the last Congress held at authority on all football matters,

The International Board conwould make a strong challenge for | tions of the United Kingdom and the honour. Interest in billiards two representatives of the Interhad been maintained throughout national Federation. It is this Bound that deals with the laws of Kowloon rock, Cust Rock Buoy to The League Tables to date are Reference was made by the the game, and alone has the power Chairman to the necessity of ex- to give official interpretations of

proposal the incoming Committee | This ultimatum from the Conwill have to consider was the re- | tinental countries is not unexpectmoval of the dressing room to the ed. It was threatened before the other side of the building. Com- War on the initiation of Germany menting on the accounts, the but it was left to France, through Chairman expressed the opinion the President of the 1925 Con-

the working account was highly On many occasions in the past satisfactory. In conclusion he representatives of some of the expressed thanks to the donors of Continental Associations have prizes, and mentioned that Mr. openly proclaimed their intention. Robert Drude had very kindly to fight against the powers of the presented a handsome trophy for International Board and not to bowls team competition. He rest content until the Federation had great pleasure in proposing took to itself the nower to deal the adoption of the report and exclusively with the laws of the

decision with regard to broken time payment to so-called Mr. P. A. Dixon proposed Mr. amateurs—payment which some B. W. Bradbury as President for Continentals have made for years

held the position of Vice-President Should the matter come to a commemorate the very great Kowloon "B" I o o I with credit to himself and the Chib head, England, Scotland, Ireland endurance, fine seamanship and Moslem Brat o O To for the post three years, that he and. Wales can withdraw from discipline displayed by the officers. Meslem "A" I o o r o had always carried out his duties membership in the Federation. and men of the s.s. "Trevessa" S. China B" 1 0 0 1 1 3 0 thoroughly and efficiently and that As the United Kingdom gave birth after she was abandoned when on Recreio B". I O O I ov 2 O to the game and fostered it all the point of sinking and when the over the world, the withdrawal of survivors in two ordinary ship's the four main countries would life boats, started on their 1,700 have gone through with the extinues the game by itself—a phase nection, I cannot do better than Mr. Goddard)

man) had great pleasure in

The officers elected were: Mr. A. A. Alves, Vice-Pre-The Chairman said that he had sident; Mr. R. Basa, Hon. Secretimes, and found Mr. Bradbury a of the 1st XI, and Mr. T. Grimes. he played solely for the sake of Rodrigues, C. M. Alver W. Menty

# K.F.C. TO PLAY.

SOCCER PREFERRED TO SPORTS.

SATURDAY'S FIXTURE.

After all the Kowloon Football

A.A. being "revised"-in connectionly unbeaten team in division tion with the Scottish Co.'s inter II (section A.) platoon athletic sports-need not be recalled.

Kowloon were to have an off-day off-side law as it stands, the and South China were to play a Surreys (champions) have not return fixture with the Surrey met with the result deserved. account of himself in his encoun- Regiment at the Sookumpoo "A". They only beat the Police by the ground. The original list said odd goal in five and drew with the Both sets of forwards were very South China v., Kowloon, South runners-up (South China). Their a first division match on Saturday. "Mr. K. A. Mason, Hon, secre-

tary of the K.F.C., writes:-The following team has been

off 4.30 p.m.:-Vickers; Wheeler and Read; Turner, McKelvie (Captain) and Hayes; Taylor, McBride, Caveille, Austen and Mason. Reserve: -A. Dundan.

## LIFEBOAT RACE.

"TREVESSA" TROPHY.

ANOTHER "DOUGLAS" WIN.

Trevessa trophy which was sailed real sense of the word ought to be. mile course yesterday. The first ness. boat to pass the finishing line was helmsman of which, Mr. Goddard "B," there may be more excuse skill throughout and actually higher flights good football is finished five minutes ahead. At expected. To get up into the the inspection of the boats at the higher circles juniors may find it boat from the s.s. "Mausang" had without undue roughness. not complied with the necessary conditions in the matter of rig One thing noticeable about the two "Hai Ning" boats which Scores is their adoption of tactics.

sailed by Mr. Patey. boat, those from the "Haining," forwards to assist the halves or, "Van Overstraten" and "Hang in other words, making them-Sang" fighting for second selves "three-eighths" if there is ary honours over most of the such a team, course from the Channel rock,

the Yacht Club. Ten boats entered for the race. Mr. E. W. Carpenter, Commodore of the R.H.K.Y.C. presented the trophy and a souvenir in Kowloon ... 3 3 the form of a silver cup to the Tamar ...... 3 2 0 winner. In so doing he said: "It HKFC .... 3 2 0 1 3 6 is my privilege as Commodore of Surreys ..... 2 1 1 0 4 3 the R.H.K.Y.C. to welcome you! Recreio ..... 2 1 0 1 6 here to witness the presentation | South China. 3 0 2 1 3 4

winning boats crew. "This is the fourth occasion on watching their strenuous efforts to gain temporary possession of this very handsome model of

Object of Race, ike "Hamlet" without the Prince. refer you to the very interesting Heining (Winner). account of the boats voyages, (Mr. Patey) entitled '1,700 Miles in Open Hang Sang Boats' by Foster. Mr. Patey of the se. Hall

> in congratulating you and in hand— Kwai Sang
> ing over to you for your Company's safe keeping till the next Kanay the future of to day a win to the second of the second of

### IN AND OUT FORM OF LEAGUE.

HOW THEY STAND. [By Man Mo.]

LOCAL SOCCER

At this early stage in the season there is only one team in the senior football league that has gained full points and only two have not met with defeat. Kowloon show the way with a maximum of 6 points for 3-matches. Club 1st XI is to play their league with 10 goals for, against 1 football fixture in Division I on True, they have not met last, year's champions nor runners-up The circumstances which led to but the initial success augurs their fixture with the South China | well. The R.A. Reserves are the

Since they recognise the value According to the revised list of quick, ground passes with the

In spite of an initial 5-0 defeat lat the hands of Kowloon, the Club have shown that they are a quantity to be reckoned with and: selected to represent the Kow. as in previous years, should not loon Football Club on Saturday, do too badly. The promoted: 31st, versus South China on the team, Club de Recreio, have not Sookumpoo "A" ground, kick. disappointed.

The second league has shown some very strange results which will be difficult to account "for. Take the South China "A." They beat the Surrey Reserves 1-0 and the Kowloon Reserves 2-1. The Infantrymen beat St. Joseph's College 8-0 and Kowloon vanquished the College 5-0. the College beat the Chinese by 2 clear goals! One explanation TEN COMPETE FOR -and it may be open to doubt-is that the College were robust in their match with the South China "A." robust not only in dealing with the ball. It is not intended The Douglas Steamship Com- that soccer players should be pany again won the race for the like lambs but a better team in the and rowed in open boats over a five lable to out-manœuvre aggressive-

that of the s.s. "Mausang", the In the second division, section. of that ship, used considerable for untiring energy but in the Ciub House which "followed the worth while to emulate the race the umpires decided that the methods of seniors who get along

and she was disqualified One of the teams which have run up big finished second was therefore The secret of the game so far has adjudged the winner. This was been to keep the game open in midfield, using the extreme wing The boat from the "Mausang" men instead of fighting down the led a'l the way and Mr. Patey's middle, and getting the inside

> LEAGUE TABLES. as follows:-

Div. II (Sec. A).

which the race for the Trevessa R.A. Res .... 3 2 I 0 5 3 5 It seems to me that we have Trophy has been held and I feel Kowloon Res. 3 2 0 1 9 2 4 three batsmen who can be relied sure you will all agree that the Drummers .. 3 .2 0 I I4 4 4 on to score at a very good rate competitors have given us a very S. China A' 3 2 0 1 3 3 instructive and enjoyable time Surreys Res. 3.1 1 1 9 2 3 St. J's Coli. 3 I 0 2 2 13 2 H.K.F.C Res. 3 0 0 3 I 13 0 Div. II (Sec. B). St J's Res ... I I O O 2 O 2 University... I I O O 3 I 2 "The trophy was put up for S. China C" I I O O I O 2 bi-annual competition by one of St. Ja "B". I I O O I O 2 our active members in order to Drume Res. 1 1 0 0 1 1 12, First Avenue, Enfield, Max.

fima elapsed. 4.51.14 47.44 4.65.10 61.40 4,59.80 56.00 Ning, I have very much pleasure van Overstraten.

Finishing Time

# HOME SOCCER.

TWO MED-WEEK DRAWN MATCHES.

SUCCESS FOR ARMY

(Reuter's Service.)

London, October 28 The following football matches were played to-day (home team given first) :---

Division I. Bury 2, Sunderland 2. Div. III (South). Brighton 1, Norwich 1,

"Friendly." Army 5 Aston Villa 1, at Alder-

League tables to date follow:

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THE TEAM.

A further letter on the subject of next year's Test Matches with Australia appears below: To the Editor of the "Athletic

Sir,—One feature of the letters 5 2 on the Test eleven seems to me 2 inexplicable—the number of perof the Trevessa Trophy to the Artillery .... 3 0 1 2 5 9 1 sons who would leave out Frank A Lying Police ..... 3 0 0 3 2 7 0 Woolley, the greatest left handed Dancing I batsman England has ever had.

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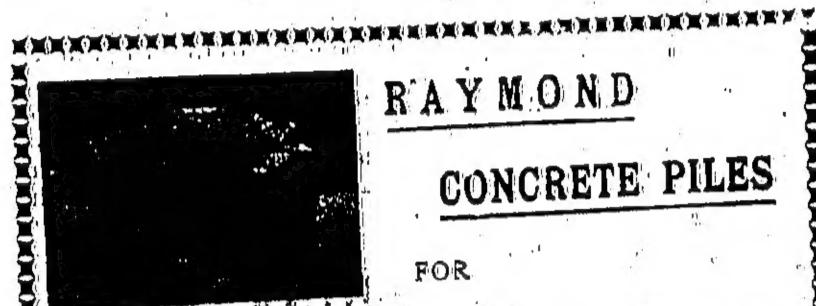
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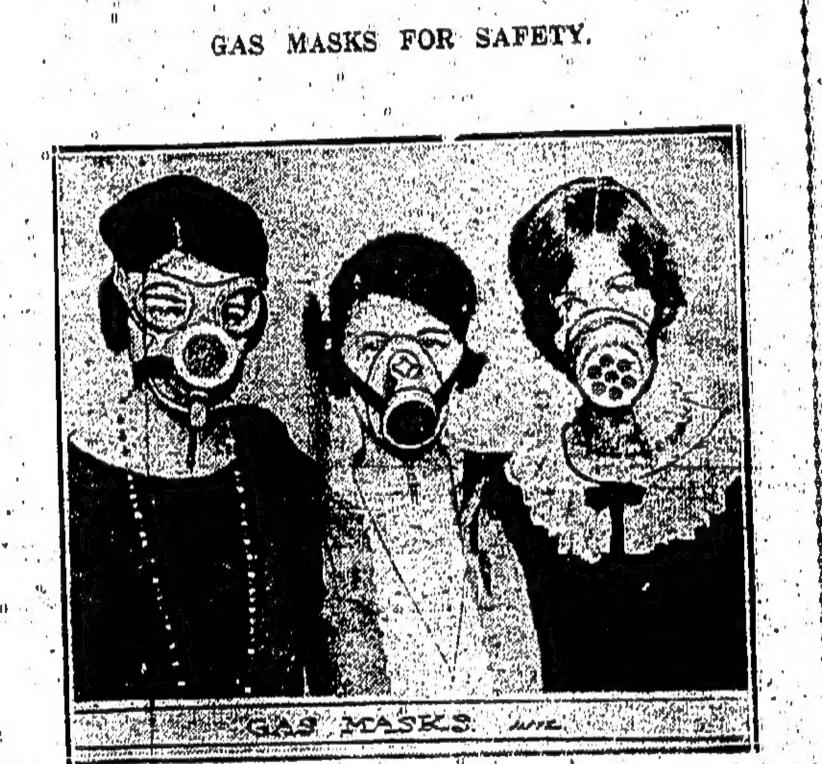
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Scientists Look Ahead

There was a suggestion of Well shin prophecy in the presidentia address which Professor W. Purks, of Toronto, rend "Cultural Aspects in Goology" the British Association's meeting ad Southumpton last week, the "thully News." H, boldly d cliared think: - "It is highly probable thus variation in climate will grently affect the activities of the sumum race within a measurable number of years, and it is possible that the sites of our present centres lot civilisations with he buried anders lighteiers, and that a new civilisa-Ition will occupy, under a genial Colimate, the present inhespipable regions around the Pores. Proffessor Parks believes that the inearth idself and of life probably standby adjusting its standare, beer's Journal became perfectly rigid it would be for a tremendous culamity. This condi- Tess's Village. attained.

The Milky Way.

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tion attained, declared the Pro- The tiny porset village with the law established annual event. fessor, the universal deluge is in queer name of Wool, which least so for as egg-laving carries sight, geologically spenking, and is to be sold, figures as and the approximate of the first egg The greatest fact about stellar dis Wellhridge, turned away from the not as yet faid, but seems content to !! tribution is that by far the greater village to the left, and over the do without an egg of her own and number of stors are found among great Elizabethan bridge, which to share in the incubation of the those constellutions that are mar gives the place half its mome, other. In former years the penguini versed by the Milky Way. This Immediately behind in stood the colony was always much excited a belt, often collectible Galaxy, shows, house when in they had engaged over the first egg, and much fightup in its full glory only on a brilliant, lodgings-once portion of a fine ing took place for possession of it, moonless night. To the maked eye manorial residence, and the pro- but this year it was accepted very it looks like a broad wash of white perty and sent of a D'Urherville, much as a matter of course. point on the wife-that vault. It is but since its partial demolition a Another recent birth in the Park are nach going right cross to sky farmhouse." Mr. Hardy has a listhant of a "baby" rhosus monkey. from horizon to horizon. It is con-great fiking for this ancient faim. This is no longer a novelty, as it timed through the constellations of house but he confesses that the old is the fourth young one born to the the southern hemisphere, which hat who had it when his novel was same pair, but the interest and are below-our horizon, and there-published told him she would never lamustment it affords are unending. fore onseen by us. In fact, it have allowed him to examine the particularly, when the nother is forms a flat-ring that envelope the place "if she had known what becompelled to correct her mischievous

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Milky Way, I In fact, it is known beor made recently to the Scotrish that, inside the fint, extended ring Zoological Pack. The most recent of space containing the flure of the writeds are two "baby", neighbis. conceivably long education of the Cashixy, there is the party globular which were born there has week space (generally described as 'burn says on Edinburgh' paper. The 15 shaped I filled with amost all the prighat is an antelope, somewhat the constitutes a guarantee of a similar stars of our stellar universe that are reigninty and lacking in the grace extension into the fature. He said put in the ring of the Galaxy .- and beauty one usually associated blust if the earth, which is con- Professor George Forbes in Cham- With its kindred. The young are, like young untelopes or deer, most divinty and presty. The breeding for the king penguins has become the end of the present order of Wellholdge in Hardy's Tess of the lisalways anxiously but somewhat things must inevitably ensue. Diffubervilles." but is only briefly (confidently booked for. For the Earthquakes therefore are not to mentioned tanys the "Stor." It thust four years this egg has been be regurefed as connixed enterrities; was there Wess and Angel Clare I hid about the middle of June, and they are evidence that the famil went after their wedding, and there a second by another bird shortly totall' nigidity has not yet been Tess made her family confession; after; but this year, for some un-

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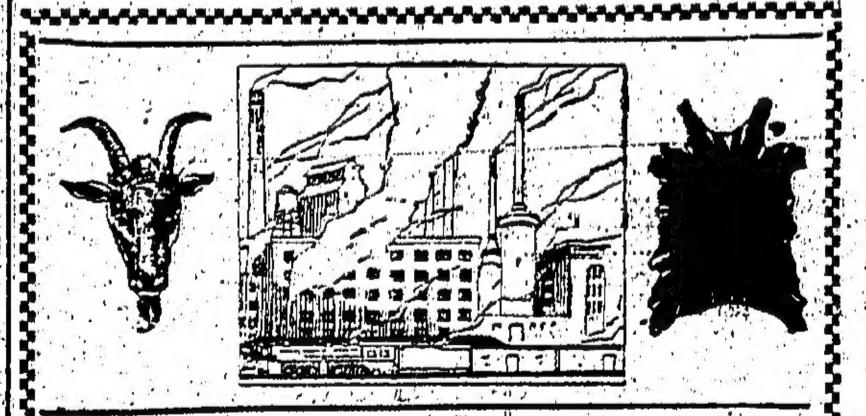
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NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Second Ordinary Directors and Auditors.

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By Order of the Board, A. H. ROWE, Managing Director.

Hongkong, October 21, 1925.

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# NOTICES.

### REMINDER

PRESENTATION OF ADDRESSES TO HE. THE GOVERNOR.

THE Public are reminded that the presentation of Addresses from the British and Foreign and Chinese Communities to His Excellency the Governor takes place.

THIS AFTERNOON in the Theatre Royal at 5.15 o'clock: P. H. HOLYOAK, Chairman of Committee of

Unofficial Members.

THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER COMPANY (1918), LIMITED.

Hongkong 29th October, 1925.

TITH reference to the Notice to the Shareholders of this Company dated 18th September, 1925, whereby the Final Call of \$3.00 per share on the New Shares was made payable on 3rd. November, 1925, instead of 1st October, 1925, the General Managers and Consulting Committee have decided, in view of the conditions prevailing at present, to further extend the time

for payment of this Call. Notice is accordingly hereby given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 4th January, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already sent to Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 4th January, 1926.

FOR THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO. (1918), LTD. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th October, 1925.

### THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-FACTURING CO., LTD.

ing abroad. Telephone C. 4630, 35. Des Vœux Road Central, on per share on the New Shares was 1925, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of 1925, instead of 1st August, 1925, receiving the Report of the Board the General Managers and Conof Directors and a Statement of sulting Committee have decided, Account for the Year ended 30th in view of the conditions prevail-April, 1925, and of electing ing at present, to further extend the time for payment of this Call. Notice is accordingly hereby given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 1st February, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already sent to Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 1st February, 1926.

FOR THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

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### CONSULATE GENERAL OF JAPAN.

TN Celebration of the Birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan, the CONSUL GENERAL will receive Members of the Foreign Community at the Hongkong Hotel on SATURDAY, the 31st of October, between 9,30 to 10,30 a.m. Hongkong, 28th October, 1925.

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TTAKE NOTICE that as from the date hereof Mr. J. EDWARD ATHERLEY has ceased to be employed as Manager of this firm and his Power of Attorney has been revoked. Mr. T. L. PARK-HURST has as from To-day been appointed Manager in his stead. CHARLES J. KEITY For Gett Bros. & Co. for the Dated 22nd October, 1925.

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